Pfice: 20 Cents.

decree, have been approved by the Executive Yuan,

waiters and dependants out of job.

tion,---United Press.

Confucian Sages

Score A Win:

"Body-To-Body Slow-Walking"

Is Going Right Out Of China

China's Confucian moralists have scored a triumph against modern dancing (referred to by the

Reliable reports said nation-wide "austerity" regulations, in line with the general mobilisation

In Shanghal, the Social Affairs Commissioner pointed out the ban would throw 200,000 hostesses.

It would also deprive foreign sailors, who spend shore leave in Shanghal, of their chief recrea

They contain a provision banning "commercialised dancing" in all cities throughout China,

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HONG KONG, FRIDAY, AUGUST 15, 1947.

## A "Gold Pot" Is Waiting In Japan

## MacArthur Offers Treasure Trove As Security For Foreign Loans

General MacArthur today announced a plan to use an estimated Japanese-owned precious metals and jewels as a credit base for leans to Japan.

"This, could eventually total upwards of US\$500,000,000," he said. The Japanese "gold pot" was made-available recently by the Far Eastern Commission as the base for acquiring foreign exchange to aid in the revival of Japanese economy. The announcement said the valuables will compose an "Occupied-Japan export-import revolving Viceroy Lord Louis Mountbatten and the Indian

Against this private or Government financing institutions of Allied or neutral nations will be sked to advance funds or commodities to "activate their foreign trade" with Japan,"—Associated

## Indonesians Ask U.N.O. Indies People Decide Own Fate

The Indonesian Republic today appealed to the United Nations. Security Council to let the people of the East Indies express their choice between the Republic and Dutch administrators of the islands.

clear which party to the dispute Bandoeng, which is the principal had barred Colombo Airport to is the people's choice."

Informed quarters said the "The Dutch also occupied Netherlands and the Indies.) former Indonesian Premier, Dr. Kawali, Thiamis, Singaparna, Sutan Sjahrir, would formally re. Lake Lengkong, Tjikadjang, Leles

Jogjakarta today again charged West Java. fire agreement 252 times since last night in the Republican com. technical landings in Ceylon, exer August 4. The radio said the munique.) figure was based on latest reports ! received up to Tuesday.

tacks against Republican cities; 200,000 drums of oil and gasoline. 21 cases of shelling from land of. The fire, which started at 4.30 Republican positions: 15 of shall p.m. was still raging flercely an ing from sea; 15 land attacks; 20 hour later. local military operations; 22 ex-

tending territory. day reported no further action in Cabinet

front was reported.

A Netherlands Army communi- lerd West Borneo. que also alleged continued violations of the truce by Indonesian lions were controlled by the

## Eyewitness

A United Press correspondent who flew over the front lines to ed today it had "provisionally check on Indonesian claims authorised" planes of the KLM

"Dutch flogs flew over the city land in Ceylon on the scheduled of Tasikmalaja where the Dutch | Amsterdam to Batavia runs, told me Dutch infantry and paratroopers occupied the city on August 11.

## The Weather

westward over E and Central China. I shallow trough extends from Indo-Chian to the Philippines. Todny's Forecast: -- Moderate . E winds, partly cloudy.

Maximum: 87.1 deg. Fah. Minimum: 78.7 deg. Pah. Sunshine; 10.2 hours, Rainfull: Not. Total since Jan. 1-1838.7

Yesterday's Weather:---

mm, as against an average of 1594.00 Readings at 10 n.m. 4 p.m.

Baro, at mad. . . . . . . . . 1011.5 1011.1 m.b. 20.88 inches Equals 29.87 Rel. Humblity .... Dew Point ..... 78 75 deg. F. E by 8 9 knots. Wind Force ..... 16

textile centre of Java.

a large fire raged late this after-The violations were classified: \_\_ | noon at Tandlongprick oil har-

## **Protest**

The Republican communique to- | Key Indonesian Republican the southern section of West Wednesday night the drafting of a formal protest to the United An hour, and a half run duel | Nettons Security Council against along the western Sourabaya giving a hearing to delegations from the States of East Indonesia

The Cabinet charged the delega-

## Ban Lifted

The Ceylon Government report-(the Royal Dutch Airlines) to

## Tokyo, Aug. 14. US\$137,000,000 worth

Batavia, Aug. 14.

A Republican broadenst urged to "Dutch flags were also flying to (KLM officials said in Butavia a plebiseite in Indonesia "to make lover Garnet, 40 miles southeast of yesterday the Ceylon G vernment

The Government issued a statement saying the authorisation was quest a plebiscite when he ad and Nagreg, all located within a for "two weeks from August 13 dresses the United Nations body, few miles of each other and and subject to review thereafter. Indonesian Republican radio at spread over the southern half of At added "this authorication is based on the distinct understandthat the Dutch violated the cease | (These towns were mentioned ing that aircraft make only

Another Batavia message says | not carry troops of war. (In Batavia, KLM announced its service was being resumed immediately on a four to five 101 by reconnaissance over Re. bour where the Royal Dutch times weekly basis.) -Associated publican territory; eight air at. Shell Company had storage with Press and United Press.

## Candid Cameras Ou During the morning's session

of the case in which Robert Sandeman Lamb is claiming damages for false imprisonment against A. D. Monkhouse, Immigration Officer, at the Supreme Court yesterday, an enterprising Chinese Press photographer, who was observed by Mr. W. Low, Clark to the Chief Justice, to be taking photographs of the proceedings, was called upon to surrender the film in his camera. Full account of proceedings nec Page 9.

FOR "SMUGGLING RACKET"

which evidently stems from this Colony as a base.

China is extremely hurtful to press these smuggling activi-

chants have no connection with his present visit was entirely

"There is one thing about Hong Kong with which the Central Government

These remarks were made by, to co-operate in stamping out. After Dr. Sun had finished

in his honour at the Hong Kong | the Government of Hong Kong | tion to express their views on

ment for joint action to sup-

Dr. Sun to'd his audience that

"If one suffers, the

these activities, and I urge them personal and what he had be the Central Government.

must also suffer."

is not altogether pleased and that is the heavy smuggling going on,

# older Chinese generation as commercialised "body-to-body slow-walking.")

New Delhi, Aug. 14. Ministers will take their oath of office in the new Dominion of India tomorrow (Friday) morning at Government House.

At 10 a.m. Lord Mountbatten will drive in a state coach to Constitution Hall to hand over power to the Indian Assembly.

Lady Mountbatten and his 19-year-old daughter Pamela will also ride in the coach. Detachments of the Indian Air Force and Navy will serve as guard of honour and

conduct Lord and Lady Mountbatten to chairs on the Speak- State's tiny Constituent Assembly ers' platform. The President of the Constituent Assembly wi'l reply to Lord Mountbatten's address.

The national flag will then be unfurled over the white dome of the hall and 31 guns will sound a salute to Britain's new Domi-

The ceremony will be' filmed Dutch civil aircraft, thus cutting theatres for showing in throughout the world.

### Remembrance

The national flag will hoisted in the Government most revered man in India, had building to enomemorate his Calcutta headquarters stoned. hase fallen in the first World . Bitter Hindu Moslem strife over

else no commercial rights and do War. take the salute.

private bui'dings. ling trude, selling flags which United Fress.

seem to bedeck every car, motorcycle and bicycles. Two hundred public Institu- A A A THE tions plan flag-hoisting cere-

monies, including one on Satur-i day morning at the historic Red Fort, built centuries ago by a Mogul king. A United Press message from

Karachi says that in a ceremony lasting less than 15 minutes Britain yielded its 200-year rule of India teday. Viscount Mountbatten (until to-

day the British Viceroy of all India: cut the British reins on a sub-continent of 350,000,000 persons and let it divide into the Marlem Dominion of Pakistan and Hindu Dominion of India.

I several members of the au-

Yick Commercial Guild remind-

stemmed almost entirely from

of the Kowloon Chamber of

Commerce, said Dr. Sun Fo. in

attacking Hong Kong as a, base

### . It was the climax of 50 years of bloody Indian agitation for inde-

Thousands of sweating Indians stood in the streets to shout "Long live Pakistan" as Lord Mountbatten drove to the new

There, to the accompaniment of booming artillery, Lord Mountbutten turned over the Government of Pakistan to its newly chosen . Governor. General, Mohammed Ali Jinnah.

Jinnah replied that his Government would foster racial and political tolerance but even as he spoke amid ceremonial trappings. Hindus and Moslems scattered over India were battering each other to death in continued riot.

Even Mohandas Gandhi, father be of Indian independence and the 'rreconcilable religious differences

The General Officer Command- forced the partition of India, a ing the Bellii area-for the first | divison intended to let each sect time in India's history-wi'll rule its own followers but the fate of the 500 Princely States-India's new flag will fly from where Hindus and Moslems live all Government, public and in almost count numbers-has been left to the boundary com-Merchants are doing a roar missions for later settlement.

# Calcutta, Aug. 13.

windows in Mr. M. K. new "Peace Gàndhl's Mission" residence in the Deliaghata riot centre suburb of Calcutta DR. SUN BLAMES HONG KONG

The youths shouted for Mr. Gandhi and Mr. H.S. Suhrawardy, Bengal's Moslem Premier, who is living with him, to "go back." They fought with people wishing to enter the residence - n

humble working class but into which Mr Gandhi moved today - and prevented the Mahatma from holding his usual evening prayer meeting.

Flying glass hit Mr. Horace Alexander, of the Friends Am-A representative of the Poliulance Unit, in the head. The police used force to dis ed Dr. Sun Fo that smuggling perse the crowd.

The demonstrators shouted to the over-drastic import and ex-1 Mr. Gandhi to go and settle in change estrictions imposed by the areas from which Hindus had emigrated as a result of Mr. Robert Der, Chairman communal disorders.

## Go Back!

for smuggling into China, had Shortly after his arrival; furnot taken into consideration the ther shouts of "Suhrawardy, go conditions and circumstances back" were heard, and the the Bengal Premier had arrived

not immeture Governments but of the city. ... additional troops into the dis-necessary materials for you to troops and police opened fire At to carry on thoir great share The fighting also fanned out turbed areas in an effort to re- operate those factories?" he several times. Sixty work kill-

### A 24-hour ultimatum was handed to the Labour Officer yesterday afternoon by the Hong Kong Chinese Engineers Institute threatening to call a general strike if its demands for increasing basic salary from \$2 to \$5 a day are not met by 5 p.m. today. Meanwhile, the Police au- | that the Chinese Engineers' In- | Kingdom but in many other thorities are standing by to stitute is only representative of countries. It is in accordance cope with any disturbances that | certain categories of workers. | with sound Trade Union pracmight break out should the and furthermore, that many tice and the recommendations strike threat materialise on workers in those categories are of the International Labour not members of the Chinese Office. It provides a sound and The Emergency Unit, under Engineers' Institute but are democratic means for the amic-Inspectors E.S.R. Jones and members of other unions, it is able settlement of disputes be-. Penfold, have been issued obviously impossible for the tween workers and employers. with additional weapons and European employers as a whole equipment such as tin hats, gas to negotiate an overall agreemasks, riot shields, truncheons, ment with this one union with- bour Office on Monday, August

situation yesterday showed that the strike, if it occurred would be confined in the initial stage

might spread later. The four utility companies, Hong Kong Telephone Company, Hong Kong Electric Company, Hong Kong Tramways Company and the Hong Kongand China Gas Company in all likelihood would not be involved in the strikes;

The labour unions in these four companies, the "China Mai." learned yesterday, have decided not to walk out but to give "moral support" by way of monetary subscriptions and other kinds of relief during the strike period. These unions, however, have

About 1,000 Hindu not given any undertaking that youths stoned and broke they would join the strike at a jup joint negotiating machinery, difficult to bring any negotialater stage.

### **Probablities** Walkouts probably would

occur at the Kowloon Docks, the Kowloon Railway, and Taikoo Docks first and then spread to the Naval Yard. The China Light and Power

Company to'd the "China Mail" yesterday that they had not received any indication whether any of their men would join the strike. They added that even if the men walked out the company would be able to cope with the situation and continue the supply of electricity.

As far as the Waterworks ar concerned, it was learned that the PWD have already completed plans for keeping up the water supply in the event of their men downing tools. The Naval Yard said that

they did not know whether any of their mechanics, draughtsmen and fitters would walk out and the Bulley Shippard made | > a similar statement. Statement

### The following statement was issued by the Labour Officer yesterday, regarding the niceting

held on Aug. 11 between representatives of the Chinese Engineers Institute and the managements of the dockyards: "The Engineers' Institute has

"In ylew of the fact that conditions very tremendously in

Baby Killing Case. Page Three Mystery Shelling. Page Five In the Courts.

Page Seven . Crisis Measures Approved. Papa Nine Lamp Damages Claim.

At The Meeting "At the meeting in the Lagreener guns, and 100 tear gas out immediately involving them- 11, the position was explained to selvees in endless negotiations the representatives of the Chin-A "China Mail" survey of the with other unions. Since the ese Engineers' Institute and it Chinese Engineers' Institute was suggested to them that they stated that the discontent among should reserve their demands their members was strongest in until this committee had been the dockyards only and the dockyards, they were re- established, when they would be quested to prepare their case able to put them forward in for submission to the manage- conjunction with the other ments of the dockyards at a dockyord unions. It was further meeting in the Labour Office. At pointed out that it was hoped to this meeting, however, the Chin- establish, similar negotiating ese Engineers' Institute did not machinery in other branches of put forward their request with industry, such as the utility special reference to conditions | companies, etc., and that the of work and remuneration in Chinese Engineers' Institute

> their tormer request for a each of these committees. general everall increase for "If, however, they persisted in their present overall claims "The Labour Office has for which took no account of difsome time been in consultation | ferences in varying industries or with the various dockyard of the interests of other workunions with a view to setting lers, it would be extremely between the workers and the tions, to a satisfactory and employers of the dockyards. | speedy conclusion. It is regret-This machinery would take the table that the representatives of form of a committee on which the Chinese Engineers' Institute would be represented all the cither did not understand the unions of workers employed in suggestions which were made the dockyards and representa- to them, of elso were unable to tives of all the managements of convey them clearly to the perthe dockyards. The object of sons who attended their meetthis committee would be to ing.

> "Whatever action is taken by common to all the dockyards, the Chinese Engineers' Institute, including questions of pay and it is the intention of the Labour working hours, and general Office to continue to work for the establishment of this negoployees in the dockyards, tiating machinery in which the Machinery of this type has been problems of all classes of labour set up and is functioning suc- can be adequately represented cessfully not only in the United and considered."

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the dockyards, but contented would he able to represent the

themselved with relterating interests of their members on

consider all problems which are

conditions of work of all em-



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> ROBERT STEEN SMITH, Secretary.

Takes Its First Reality Viceroy Lord Louis Mountbatten relinquished the reins of British power today to the new Moslem Dominion of Pakistan.

and all my fellow countrymen I may was not official.

Spills As Pakistan

Dr Sun Fo, China's, Vice-Pre- this evil.

sident, at a public reception held

"This smuggling of goods into

to legitimate business" he add-

""I know that bona fide mer-

our economy. It is also harmfu! | ites.

Hotel yesterday afternoon.

Assembly, "two new severeign | Lahore, the capital of the persons, and wounded at least most anxious to invest in in- littered with glass and brick- different industries, and also States will take their place in vast northern province which is 136.

dont states whose leaders are hundreds after long hours of jab. What is the use of setting tars, Bren and Sten guns. atatomen already known and rioting. respected throughout the world; Finnes swept through much on hehalf of Pakistan, throw nie not allowed to import the occurred in Amritear today and

Karachi, Aug. 14. "Tomorrow," the Viceroy fighting between Moslems Sikha capital were aflame today in The result was chaos and in- windows. declared in a farewell, address and Hindus reached now heights communal strife, which since efficiency in administration. The two rooms adjoining that dawn yesterday has killed 153 Overseas Chinese, who are occupied by Mr. Gandhi were

"The Central Government and dience, in response to an invita-

ure in negotiation on an agree- the matter, replied.

the Commonwealth; not young being split between Moslem Bloody disorders in the city, home land, had been compelled In the Majitha area, near nations but heirs of an old and Pakistan and Hindu. India, the worst in five months, fan. by circumstances to invest out. Amritsar, troops shot dead 61 proud civilisation; full indepens counted its casualties in the ned out into cast and west Pun-side China instead. Sikh raiders armed with most

of responsibility for peace and into Amritage and other out store order.

progress in the world."

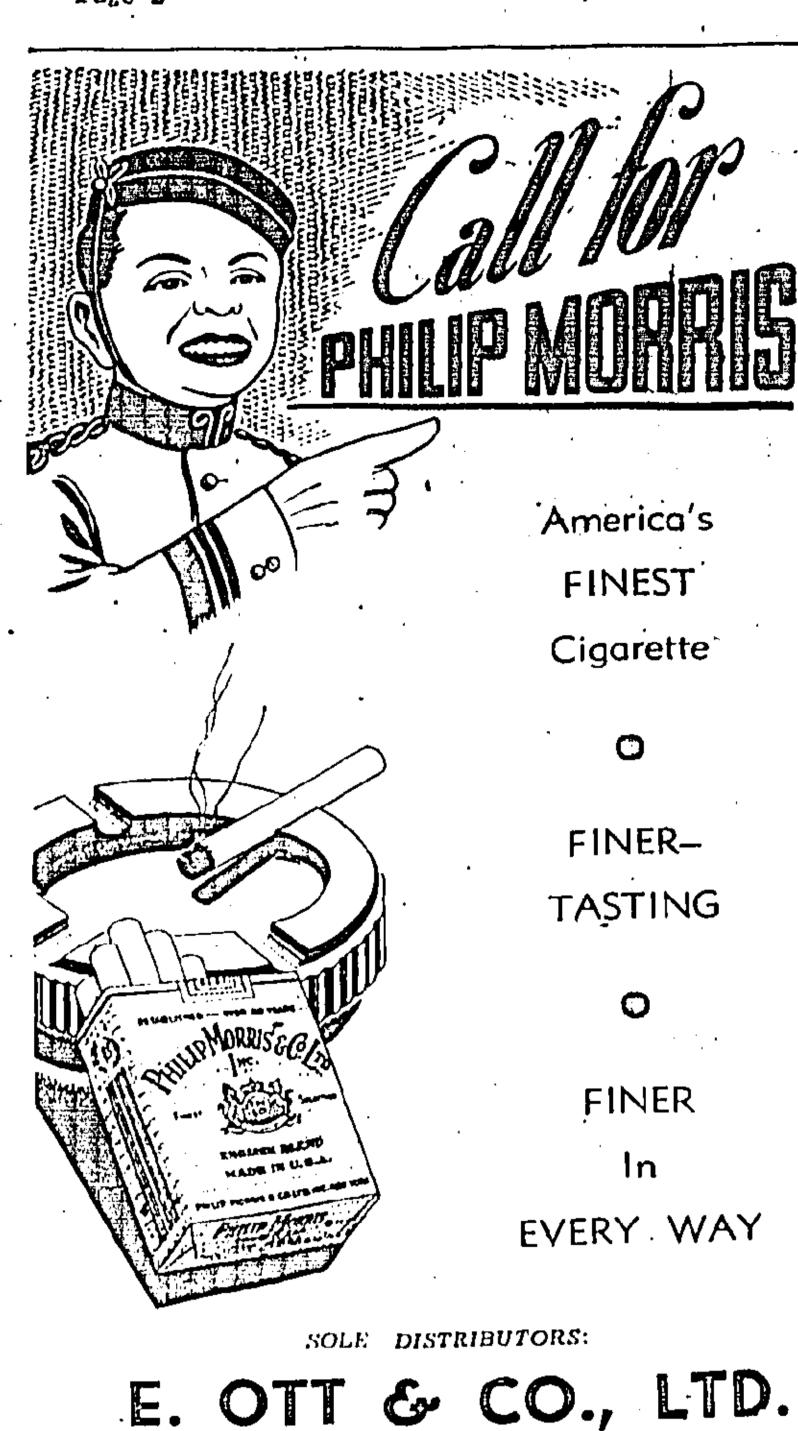
lying areas of the Punjab.

"I'wo full brigades were ex- "Because conditions are in- in communal ricing in Lahore As he spoke in Karachi, blood An Ansociated Press message pected to be reinforced during tolerable, and people have to today. Most of the victims were was being apilled in communal from Labore says that fourteen the day by a third. Associated survive somehow, the smugglers Bikha. Troops and police topenallife in the Punish where huge sections of the Punish Press.

which prompted these activi- crowd stopped the car in which In mapping out China's The police escorted his car economy and economic needs, into the compound. A com-China had concentrated on motion followed and the demon- put forward certain demands economic theories rather than strators threw a volley of brick- relating to the basic wages of on hard facts. bats at the house, smashing the aitisan workers in European-

dustrial undertakings in their bats.

## The joint Defence Command, up factories in China when you .. Numerque cases of arson



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Tax is payable before

Chinp Wat Kut and Lao Iu To.

by C.P.A. planes:—

ence yesterday.

early next week. returns received up to date within the next fortnight from business show that about \$30,000,000.00 would be collectshould enquire at the Inland Revenue Department. ed-almost a hundred per cent 30th September, 1947 after a more than the original estisurcharge of 5 per cent is made.

Mr. Pudney released the folstatement explaining the position of a person liable to Salaries and Annuities Tax, temporarily absent from the Colony (e.g. on leave to the United Kingdom):-

Under the proviso to Section of the Inland Revenue Ordinance—1947, a person is liable to N.V. Bani, P.C. Williams and E.L. ON\$1,000), and closed at 18.15 computed in accordance with Mrs. V.S. Garcia, W.T. Stanton, \$5.00. Chapter III of the Ordinance for any year in which he spends more than 180 days in the Colleny, and on the whole of his emoluments similarly computed the computed that the the comput in any two consecutive years of and Mrs. Buchan. assessment during which he For Manila:-P.C. Williams, spends, in all, more than 300 E.L. Becker, G.D. Litchfield, Wong

days in the Colony. Since lew periods of absence would be long enough to reduce days or less, it will generally be limited Hervey, Mario L. Souza, found that a person who pro- Lewis B. Rowe, Mrs. F. Nester, Men's Weekly luncheon yester- economy. ceeds on leave outside the Co- Mr. and Mrs. R. Brander, F.J. day. lony remains liable to Hong Lovell, Mr. and Mrs. R. McCarlie, Kong Salarles and Annuities A. Chas. Poulin and Mrs. N. Tax during the whole period of Buchan.

It is possible, also, that a person who proceeds from Hong Kong to the United Kingdom for a period of long leave may Thomas, E.K. Dumolin and T. ber of characters. be liable to Income Tax in the Ashrance United Kingdom on his emoluments paid from Hong Kong. But no part of a visitor's income from sources outside the United Kingdom is subject to United Kingdom Income Tax unless he is chargeable as a

person residing in the United his duties immediately. A visitor to the United Kingdom from Hong Kong who has become chargeable as a resident is not liable on the whole of his emoluments arising in Hong Kong, but only on so much of them as are received in or remitted to the United

In order to grant relief to Kong Tax, Section 45 of the In-land Revenue Ordinance has ponding provision in the Unit- you therefore allow me to add the fierce exigencies of party corps will provide a ceremonial politics should be allowed to possible of a composition of a composit

of any case if submitted to opposite. them by letter, addressed The Secretary, Board of Inland Revenue, Somerset House, London, W.C. 2.

**Proprietorship** 

The question of changes in business structure is engaging cowardly. the minds of many people. are in partnership, and they think, arising out of that mat-dlum of the Government she Association.—Practice Shoots will decided to discontinue business, but immediately set up a similar business under other name, with the same this Department would not be prepared to admit that it was a new busines, except after considerable investi-

Where, however, two or more persons who have been in partnership discontinue their busi- blame them greatly, for failing made. It is foolishly made beness and set up an entirely new to press, for relief, with re- cause it tends to obscure the business of a different type under a different name, this would be regarded as a new business for taxation purposes. New businesses are assessable to tax as follows:—

(1) For the year of assessment in which they set up, they right, are charged on the actual profits from the date of commenceyear of assessment.

which they set up, they are charged on the actual profits commencement of business: changes in partnership by rea-

son of retirement or death, or Forms in respect of business nation cannot buy bread and the conspiracy of silence, which they have discontinued necessities of life."

It is my main suggestions. should notify the Department that they have discontinued

their business.

Falluro to do so without reasonable oxcuse involves a tion, not exceeding \$2,000.

A rush for gold commenced immediately the market opened yester-1947-1948, will be greatly exceeded.

Inland Revenue Commission- Property Tax Demand Notes the rate had shot up er. (Mr. E. W. Pudney.) dis- for Hong Kong, Kowloon and closed this at a Press Confer- New Kowloon will be issued from \$366 to \$373 a tael. It then took a sudden about-The Inland Revenue Commis- Property owners who do not turn and the next hour saw a 19 sloner also said that average receive a Notice of Assessment point drep to \$364.

the rate was \$358. In the afternoon the price gra-

dually elimbed back to \$365 but at | tion. the close it ensed off slightly to Plastres opened and closed at \$13.70 à 100, and in the course of

the day it fluctuated between The following were passengers \$13.20 and \$13.87. National Currency opened, at 12.7 cents for futures From Singapore: -T.B. Frickel, and 13.5 cents for spot (for

BASIC ENGLISH

AND CHINESE

A talk on Basic English and New arrivals at the Peninsula simplified teaching of the Chinese the period of residence in any Hotel include P.Y. Tang, Miss written language was given by two consecutive years to 300 Hotel include P.Y. Tang, Miss Prof. Hau Hai-ling at the Y's Prof. Hau Hailing at the Y's

> The Professor, who has made be special study of the subject, is the spersor of a movement in Canton for this simplified form Peninsula departures:--Miss S. of teaching, by which the fullest Smith, W.W. Grossman, L.HT. use is made of a minimum num-

> So far the only recognised method of learning written Chin-George Killion, 46-year-old one is mechanical memorising of Californian, yesterday was elected numberless new characters, which President of the American Presi- Prof. Hsu's new method is dedent Lines, succeeding Henry F. signed to obviate.

Grady. Mr. Killion will assume The speaker was thanked by Dr. F.I. Tseung.

Answer To Critics

persons possibly liable to both August you were good enough crawling and cringing before mandant, H.K.V.D. Corps. Order United Kingdom and Hong to publish a letter from me his tribunal. I do not think No. 29/47 dated 14th August 1947. Two critics have misunderstood that I did so offend. been enacted with a corres- what I said and suggested. Will It is to me lamentable that Crerar, C.H. D.S.O. -Former C.-

Windsor House, Hong Kong, pressing for relief," "shoving to save the world and its mas-practice parades will be notified whilst in order to assist intend-out a begging bowl to Washing-sive wealth (which incidentally later. ing visitors in ascertaining their ton," "going in the role of down was successful) England parted 2. Information Required.—Anythe Board of Inland Revenue in and out cap-in-hand." In fact, with the props which "did sus- one having information concernthat country will be glad to ex- I did nothing of the kind but tain her life." For the purpose ing the death of Richard Henry press their opinion on the facts indicated a course precisely the of obtaining stone she under- RULE. Master, Merchant Navy ex

used the words, "English cannot procure stone. words "claim," "cause," and position,

lever had a claim based on equity i.

, and justice more profound. No counsel entrusted with such a Sir,-In your issue of 7th case ever had less excuse for Owen-Hughes, Acting Com-

mined her own house and now | s.s. "Chungshan," Hong Kong, wno

country and its natural destiny by gentility" that story is not to communicate with the Adhave no right in my opinion to told. If it is told it is whisper- jutant. It is possible that this remain silent. Reticence may be ed. It is on the other hand officer attached himself to a sub-They think that suggested that, since the war, unit in the Corps during England standing at one time! England has indulged in wild hostilities. Where two or more persons alone, saved the world. They extravagances through the me- 3. Hong Kong Services Rifle ter, that they have a claim and thought fit to put in power. I be held on Saturday, 16th August a cause which they wish to plead have myself been a more or less and Sunday, 17th August. Launch before a World Tribunal. Then active party politician for the timings: -Saturday 10th August. let them say so with a voice that past thirty years and have Queen's Pier Dep. 1430 for East does not falter. Who could never found myself on the same Pler, Stonecutters. Star Ferry doubt that a World Tribunal side of the fence as members of Steps-Kowloon Dep. 1445 for could if it would do justice? For the Government now in power. Stonecutters Return 1630 for Star my own part I believe it would. I assert, however, that the sug-I blame my own people, and gestion is false and foolishly source and determination." "Re. real issue and will be clutched Ferry Steps Kowloon Dep. 0930 lief" is a well known legal at by every enemy of England for East Pier, Stonecutters. East Connected with the anxious to misrepresent her

"plead," it means the granting. The present Government of of something proved to be a England will probably not long survive. A different Govern-I said—and my critics agree ment will take its place. An Frenkel, J. Field Company ment of business (if after 31st that my facts were right, "For England however, hampered and gineers w.e.f. 14 Aug., 47. March, 1947) to the end of the the purpose of war supplies to dislocated by a crushing unjust (5gd.) J. Weston, Captain, be used as blocks and barriers and paralysing burden will re-(2) For the year of assess- against armies invading a world main unless and until a man can ment following the year in otherwise helpless, she had be be found capable of presenting has been invited by the Hong fore 1942 given away, pledged an unanswerable case without Kong Police Sports Association to for one year, from the date of or autrendered, virtually speak. passion but with complete force. compete in the 200 wards free ing, the whole of her personal I am convinced that such a man style relay race open to H.M Section 23 (3) of the Inland securities. They had taken a will be found and that the case Services, at their forthcoming Revenue Ordinance provides for century or more to gather and which I have adumprated will swimming gala. The gala is being accumulate. They went in four be put forward. The force of held at the Victoria Recreation the admission of a new partner. or five years. Securities are it will be recognised, if I were Club on Saturday, 13 Sep. 47. Those things without which a not sure of it I would join the Any Volunteer wishing to repre-

May I ask if that case has in every part of the English not later than Saturday, 23 Aug. If they have recommended plain, simple and elementary, be pushed into the foreground business under another name or language? Has a claim arising and kept there. Let those who in another place or in partner- out of it at any time been put represent themselves, as being DETONATOR BLAST ST should notify the Department of the friends of England has a claim which It it really be true that Eng. that England has a claim which Bubsection (2) of Section 62 land acting as a kind of Trus. perhaps she would like to foreperson chargeable with tax has sources to such an extent that and just or spurious. Let it be explicited of a detemptor, by the Inland Revenue Depart— she cannot at the moment pure examined. If it is spurious it who explosion took place to a

is brought to the notice of the tee, an agent of necessity (en, go but which she cannot forego, shortly after 4 o'clock public.

11 public. This provides that where a to the world out of her gwn, res with. The claim is cither true and thigh as the result of the

ment on its own initiative, such chase the necessities of life can be rejected. It expediency unsmiths shop behind the Old a person must notify the Com- must I be accused at syco- and justice alike however india No. 2 Police Station, Wanchal missioner that he is chargeable. phancy because I assert that she eate a claim of right that can Road, has a claim which could and not be ignored let it be grappled. The boy thought the detenator

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Shanghai, Aug. 14. Financial circles pointed out today that Director of Public Information Hollington At that point the tide was stem- pledges to repay susmed and at the luncheon recent pended foreign loans do not alter the actual posi-

taken with reserve and point out that Mr. Tong gives no date for the resumption of payments.

Moreover, apart from the quesion of China's goodwill, there is the more important question of the financial position.

China, is suffering from such Salaries and Annulties Tax on Becker.

| Salaries and Annulties Tax on Becker. | Cents and 13.7 cents respectively. | dearth of foreign exchange that, | They lived together at 21 the whole of his empluments as | From Bangkok:—A.C. Poulin, | U.S. dellars were unchanged at | with many other more immediate | Chau Street (second floor). needs it is unlikely she will be Accused, continued witness, Sterling alid down to \$13.00, abic to find in the foresecable semetimes helped in the house and while Australian pounds were future sufficient forsign exchange sometimes at the saltash stall. for this purpose.

Wait And Sec wait and see attitude was adopted by foreign and Chinese businessmen toward the statement by Premier Chang Chun in Nanking yesterday that China would welcome direct foreign investments to revive this nation's run-down

American businessmen said guarantees would have to be furnished that foreign capital would be given equal treatment with Chinese capital. They said the present exchange restrictions and import regulations would have to be considerably inedified before foreign capital would find China an attractive

John Keswick, Chairman of the British Chamber of Commerce, welcomed Premier Chang's statement but said China was likely to be faced with great difficulties before the policy would be

Orders by Lieut.-Colonel H 1. Visit of General H.D.G. Section 27.

In cases of doubt persons interested are invited to call and/or write to the Inland Reaccuse me, however, of advocational venue Department, 4th floor, ing a course of "syco-fantically likely or "Horse." Horse, Work and More words, as few more words, and politics should be allowed to party of 3 Officers and 12 Other obscure the Issue which either that is or is not as I have stated it. It is either true or untrue that in a completely reckless effort selected personnel and details of windows.

> in believed to have been killed people who believe in their By reason of a certain "shab- on or about 11 Dec. 41, is usked

Ferry Steps-Kowloon Queen's Pier. Sunday, August. Queen's Pier Dep. 0915 for East Pier Stonecutters. Star

Pler, Stonecutters Return 1230 for, Star Ferry Steps-Kowloon and Queen's Pieri

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Adjutant, H.K.V.D. Corps. Notice-Swimming.-The Corps It is my main suggestion that communicate with the Adjutant

A 15 year old boy, was admitted to Queen Mary Hospital yesterday

penalty, on summary convios should be seascied. No litigant with

# INANCIERS Mother's

Her daughter managed to keep her pregnancy such a close secret that even her parents did not know of it until Police Constable 1785 Chan. Ming made inquiries at the flat, said Tse Yung, giving evidence before Mr. W. A. Blair-Kerr at Kowloon yesterday in the resumed committal proceedings against Chan Yin-mul on the charge of infanticide.

Detective Sub-Inspector D. S. her daughter fell in love with the Roberts (for the Crown) said that | constable. Chan gave birth to a daughter at Ho had not been seen in about 12.30 p.m. on July 4 and house since witness' return." threw the child from the second They and that it should be floor of 258 Yu Chau Street. The mother said in evidence that defendant was married about | their stall.

five years ago to Ho Kal-yin. the Occupation. After the defeat of the Jan-

could not afford to support her tor had given bor some medicine.
They lived together at 258 Yu Witness went home at about

They got to know the constables on the bent, and Police Constable 1039 Lo Lin, n fellow-villagor, Associated Press states that a used to visit them in their flat.

> Fell In Love In September last year, declared try for about ten days.

Ho had not been seen in the At about 6 a.m. on the morning in question, went on witness, sho left with her husband to open

About two hours later, her hus-She stayed at Shumchun during band left the stall turbring defendant to consult a doctor. On his return he told her that anese, Chan returned with her the girl was suffering from mother's home as her husband st; much trouble and that the doc-

> asked her what was wrong with accused, she repeated what her husband said. .. The husband was not in at that

noon and when the follow-tenants

time, she said. Scon afterwards, a Police Constable entered and inquired why some one in the flat should have

thrown a child into the street. After evidence had been given witness, she returned to the coun- by the Police Officers concerned, defendant was committed for trial During that time, she alleged, at the September Sessions.

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## AIRPORT GUNS

Escape

Berlin, Aug. 13. Four shells of unidentified origin landed on the Gatow airfield — British air station for Berlin —during the night preceding the arrival at the airfield of the Secretary for War, Mr. F. J. Bellenger.

Only one of the shells exploded, and the matter is now under investigation

The War Office in London

was unable to comment on the

the British military tattoo is

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When the Secretary of State from Headquarters, while the for War arrived at the Gatow other two hit trees. airfield tonight, his DC3 taxied. Security officers and ammunidown the strip within a few tion experts who have been callfeet of the five-foot-wide crater ed in have made a photographic caused by the shell which had study of the shell fragments exploded. He drove off without and the crater. commenting on the red-flagged

Meanwhile, continuing to in- explosion, since there is certain vestigate the explosion of the to be an official investigation. shell — identified by fragments Two possible explanations for as a 12.2 centimetre (five inch) the landing of the shells, put type — the British authorities forward by military experts in find it to be a type used by London today, were: military several of the Allied armies training by British troops is taking place almost continuously during the war.

They confirmed that four in Germany and it might well falled to explode. Lieut. General Sir Richard being held in Berlin until Aug.

McCreery, Commander-in-Chief 16, and "it starts with a display of the British Army of the of fireworks "-Reuter. Rhine, was not in the vicinity at the time, as was reported earlier, BOAC EXTENSION belonged to the guard at the pri- up while standing with his girl Foreign Affairs, Christopher made. although all Tuesday heavy "VIP" traffic was moving through the airport.

live shells.

over the Royal Air Force Station cial air passenger service be- Another report said that two sentenced at Nuremberg, is said part of the world" Headquarters, but the only tween the United States and Americans were in hospital after to have been hit with a bag be- Lord Winterton, outlining the to relatives in Eire. damage to the building was to Nippon's capital had received being beaten up by Germans. the windows, although splinters an official go ahead, in a move First Class Private Thomas then jumped on and made unduring and just after the war United States by sailors, can

port perimeter track, 35 metres Press.

## Dominion Rallies To Aid Of Britain

Wellington, N.Z., Aug. 13.
The Government has called a conference of representatives of the entire community for next week to discuss aid to Britain in the present crisis, the Premier, Mr. Peter

Fraser, announced today. He knew that everybody in New Zealand was behind the Government in its desire that people of all sections should get together to discuss possibilities for increasing aid to Britain, to find out her most urgent needs. and then to meet them, ohe said.

Among those invited to the conference are representatives of workers' and employers' organisations, export producers, importers, public bodics, ex-Servicemen's associglions, social, educational and women's organisations, and the churches .- Reuter.

## BERLIN

Berlin, Aug. 13. shells came over, and that three include antinircraft practice; Thirty to forty persons, believed to have been Germans, attacked three American soldiers in a park 600 yards from Spandau war criminals' prison here last night.

Corporation may soon seek to and then thrown into a lake, four Germans who asked for The Independent Labourite, J. is believed to have been in-Throughout today, the airfield extend its present Pacific termi- according to the German news cigarettes.

to open Japan to general inter. Bell, of Cambridge, Maryland, conscious before being thrown 30 men connected with various be bought for US\$2 or US\$3, Another missile hit the air- national civil aviation.—United according to the latter version, into the lake. was seriously ill in the Ameri-

Two of the Americans, who can hospital after being beaten Washington, Aug. 14. son, fled before the attack, but friend outside a Spandau cafe. Mayhew, turned down the sug- This is the newest trans-The British Overseas Air the third was beaten unconscious. The other was attacked by gestions.

into the incident are continuing, government did not object to it. British and Eire Treasuries,---Reuter.

## Moscow Allegation Ridiculed

Rome, Aug. 14. For the second time in 24 hours. Russian wives fail to reach the certain death in the desert if the Italian Foreign Office denied husbands or wives as the case they had continued unescorted today the truth of Moscow re- may be. norts concerning United States

Moscow Radio report that negotax payable by all Soviet women tintions were under way in Rome over 20. This amounts to 1,500 for an Italo-American treaty of roubles a year. One girl was driendship, trade and navigation, threatened with imprisonment if which would place Italy at the she did not pay."—United Press.

mercy of American industrial and financial trusts, was "deprived of any foundation."

signed on Thursday.

Italy.-United Press.

their husbands in Britain.

their overland journey to South would be allowed to continue their journey as soon as a

Hamburg, Aug. 16. Karl Spaeth, former captain in anxious to be rid of any poten. tial drain on their rationed

## Anti-Semitic Riots A "Danger Signal"

London, Aug. 13. Viscount Hall, First Lord of the Admiralty, speaking for the Government during the Palestine debate in the House of Lords today, warned that the recent anti-Jewish demonstrations in Britain were a "danger signal which cannot be

ignored." illegal Jewish refugee immigra- demonstrations in Britain followbeen so great during the last British sergeants were "quite provided from the United States. British justice but this is a danannouncement concerning the ignored." Jows from the intercepted ship, President Warfield-they would not be sent to Palestine or

Lord Hall declared that Lord Hall said the anti-Jewish tion to Palestine could not have ing the terrorist hanging of two Jured.—United Press. 18 months if funds had not been contrary to British feeling and He reiterated the government's ger signal which can not be

Jewish Disgust He hoped that such actions were drawn to the attention of those charged with responsibilities in Palestine and he referred airport by Queen Elizabeth, the specially to the Jewish Agency. | Queen Mother, Premier Spaak

The Marquess of Reading, and other Cabinet Ministers. who said he was not speaking. The Prince received a great for the Jewish community of evation from the crowd that lined this country but was expressing the five-mile route from the airhis own views, said, "The Jewish community in this country views with increasing diagust, detestation and dismay the campaign on the balcony.—Reuier. of vituperation carried on by a section of the Jewish community in the United States in which virulence of expression seems only to be equalled by ignorance

or distortion of fact."

## The Russian Wives: Commons Angry

Dublin, Aug. 13.

incoming mail

The Eire Government

The Eire post office authorities

A group of British Ex-

into the desert. You can be

sure that the British travellers

were not detained any longer

than was necessary for their

own safety, because the local

French authorities are always

London, Aug. 13. Incensed members of the Commons today suggested that the British Government strike back at Russia unless it lets 15 Russian wives to join their British husbands.

The Conservative member, t Lord Winterton, who raised they adjourned, said, "I think that official correspondence on the subject should be put in the form of a White Paper and the Government should consider what is the appropriate international authority to which an appeal should be made. I think if the Soviet Government continues to take up this attitude pending a hearing of the question by some international body, the Soviet Government should bol informed that it is embarrassing today ordered inspection visas for members of Russian Of from the United States delegations "

Brigadier A. R. W. Low, Con- following discovery of the reason why women were not permitted to leave the Soviet tish banknotes into the Union was the shortage of man- country by post. power but the Soviet Embassy was manned entirely by declared that they will resist Russians. any protests against delay caused

He suggested that Britain ask by imposition of inspection, the Soviet Union to withdraw 80 which followed discovery early Russian women who were here today of a bundle of British for various reasons and perhaps, banknotes in a damaged enin return, Russia would consider | velope from the United States. releasing the wives of the Bri- All United States letters were then opened and "a substantial

Under-Secretary of collection of banknotes" was

Atlantic currency "racket" and and its vicinity was scoured for hus from Hong Kong to Tokyo, service in the British zone, which Private Bell, who is a guard ed "that the Soviet Government side bars in the United States, The shell that burst, landed the announcement that commer- taken to the American hospital, houses the Nazi war leaders the voice of reason from any travelling to Britain or to people who wish to send remittances

lieved to contain a bottle and background of the case, said The notes, smuggled into the British missions in Moscow and thus enabling the purchaser to One of Bell's assailants has Murmansk and elsewhere mar- make a 25 to 50 per cent profit heen arrested and investigations ried Soviet girls and the Soviet with a corresponding loss to the

### Tax Threat

He said 15 of the wives were Sahara Trek granted permission to come to Britain but some 15 were still in Russia with their five children Danger and they had been told that they would never be allowed to join

Lord Winterton said, "It is one Servicemen and their families of the many general complaints held at the French Sahara outthat letters sent by husbands to their wives and those written by Russian wives fail to reach the certain death in the desert if

"The wives cannot get work Africa, the French Colonial negotiations with the Italian gov- under ordinary circumstances and Office spokesman said today. some of these girls have received! Announcing that the trekkers A spokesman said that the demands to pay the childlesaness caravan or convoy was available to escort them across the desert, the spokesman declared: "It is certain death to go unescorted

Italo-American trade agreement negotiated by Ambas- the German army, pleaded not sador Tarchiani and Minister guilty at a new war crimes trial Lombardo in Washington is to be here today to a charge of having signed on Thursday. forced British prisoners of war to Yesterday the Foreign Office work on dangerous military obdenied a Pravda announcement jectives in Bayreuth in April, tial drain on their rationed that the United States would be 1945, "against the laws and water supplies," the spokesman given a naval base at Leghorn as usages of war." Several prisoners a condition of American loans to were alleged to have been killed doing this work.-Reuter.

## Liverpool Riot Fines

Liverpool, Aug. 14. Thirty-nine adults and children appeared in police and juvenile courts today charged with disorderly conduct during August 4. the climax of last week's anti-Semitic disturbances.

Most of the 28 adults were fined up to £5 and made to pay damago costs up to £20. The police prosecutor disclosed that 36 arrests were made during the night of August 4 and in three nights the police casualties included seven officers severely in-

### REQENT BACK IN BRUSSELS

Brussels, Aug. 18. Prince Charles, Prince Regent, returned to Brussels by air today after a six weeks visit to the Belgian Congo. He was received at Melsbroock

## Montreal, Aug. 14.

A number of foreign countries. Lord Altringham advocated including China, have inquired increased martial law in Pales, regarding purchase of surplus tine and imposition of collective Canadian Mosquito bombers, but fines "capecially in view of the there is nothing concrete yet," a fact that we imposed collective war Assets Corporation spokes fact that we imposed collective war Assets Corporation spokes fines on the Arabs after the 250 of these planes were available. Arabi rebellion."—United Press, ablo,—Associated Press.

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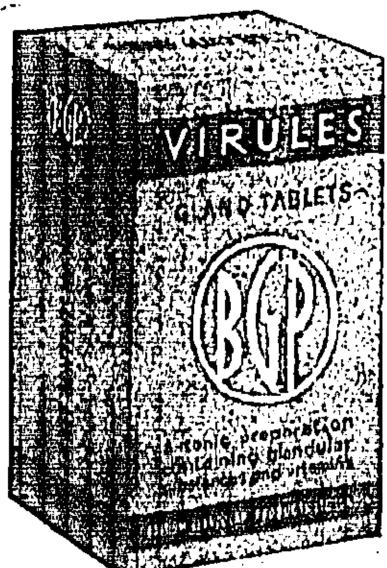
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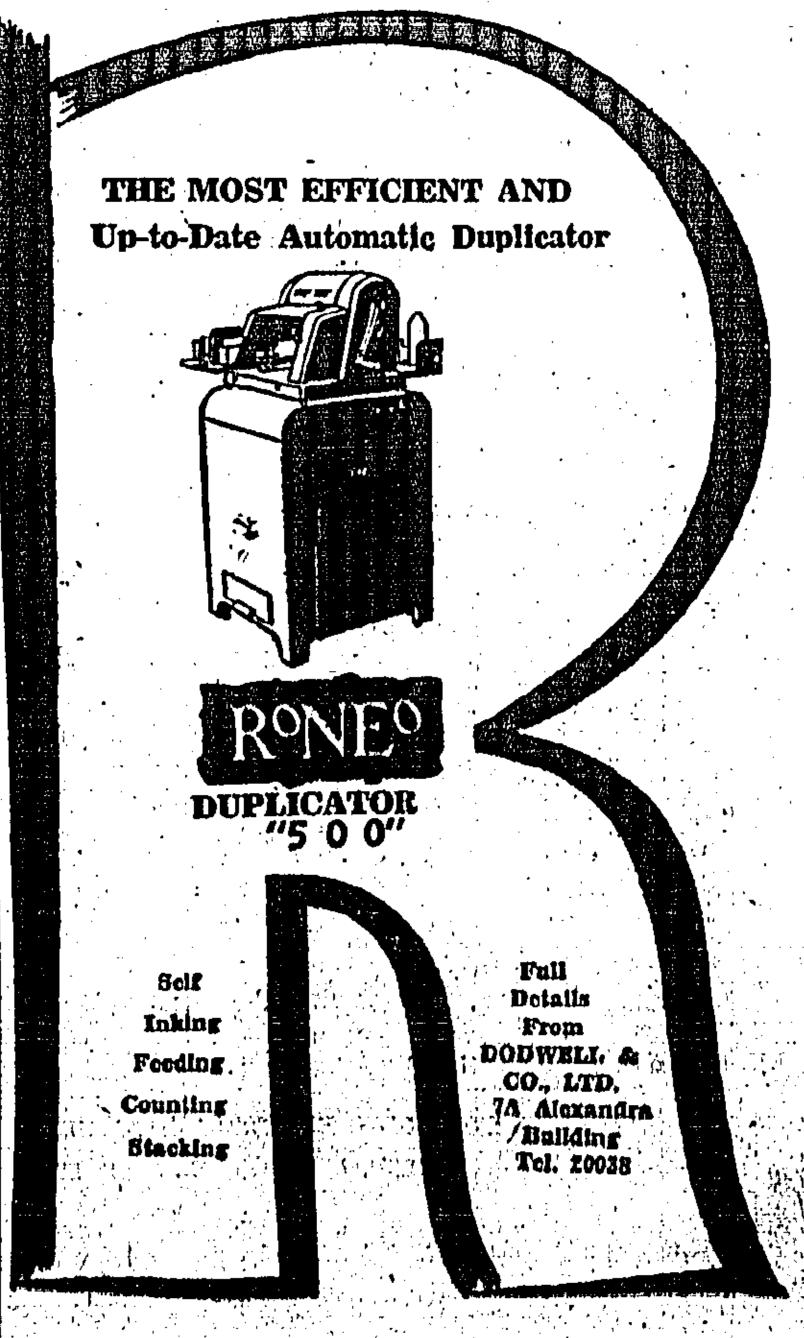
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Shareholders may transfer their rights to all of the new | Kong at 4.00 P.M. on that day. shares by signing the printed It is requested that all firms form of Renunciation and Nomsame manner as the Form of Acceptance.

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## DERAILMENT

Velden.

Mischief

the Prime Minister Peter Fraser

He added that this was not the

first time that mischievous reports

injurious to relations between

Pope, but he did not see that

anything could be done to prevent

this sort of thing.—Associated

Britain Backs

Montgomery were denounced by requested.

closer than at present," he de- coaches derailed.

Jewish Terrorists

each other in Carinthia, in the British zone of

Austria today. One derailed a British leave

train injuring men and women passengers re-

turning from their homes, and the other ex-

trucks equipped, with women slightly injured. One per-

ploded outside Military Headquarters at

Vienna, Aug. 13.

Jew Captured

identified the captured man as

Heunuch Gondinor. It said the

Austrian gendarmerie seized him

in another train at Boeckstein, a

Malinitz-near where the derail-

ment occurred—and the refugees'

camp at Bad Gastein in the Unit.

It said he attempted to evade

ed States zone of occupation.

with the case.

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Teak Writing Table 3' x 5' | today.

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## Up U.S. Stand in another train at Boeckstein, a small, village directly between Britain's support for the

clared.

views expressed yesterday by Johnson, the Mr. Herschel United States delegate, on the arrest "by means of two guns" importance of preventing the and was shot in the left thigh. Soviet veto from paralysing The Secretary of the Interior, United Nations action to restore Ferdinand Graf, said: "There is peace was made clear by a one line running between the Foreign Office spokesman in suitcase bomb planted recently in

the cellar of Sacher British senior London today. He said that Britain shared officers' hotel and the Malinitz the wish of the United States and Velden plots."-Reuter and Government to take any action United Press. within the spirit of the Charter to restrain aggression. He added that Britain's views on the use of the veto and its dis-The Undersigned has received approval of any use for the Auction on MONDAY, the 18th of the United Nations were well AUGUST, 1947, commencing at known, and that the British the view that the action of Bulgaria and Yugoslavia, Albania in refusing facilities to the United Nations Investigation LARGE QUANTITY OF Commission suggested that those HOUSEHOLD countries had something to hide.

## RECRUITING OF

**D.P.'S** Hamburg, Aug. 13. France intends to recruit dis- sidered surrounded and the United Press. placed persons from the French, guerillas had also won control British and United States zones of the entire area below Alcord Germany for voluntary work bania encompassing Mount Stering in vital branches of French Grammos, Lake Prespa and the

Definite assurance is given that mountains of Korestin, Varall workers going to France will kountes and Vitaion. enjoy complete liberty and will be treated in every way like French striving to occupy Florina,

They will be required to sign blish a free Communist governn one year's contract but after ment. that they will be free to change their jobs, return home, emigrate if they so desire.-Reu-

## **COSMO CLUB**

LIBERATION DAY PARTY

Hongkong Liberation will be colebrated on Saturday, 16th August with a dance-party from 9 p.m. onwards. No reservations required but members said it had received information total of £15,000,000 in freely wishing to arrange dinner or that guerillas might attempt a with additional releases, believed suppor parties kindly notify Steward by telephoning 28882-

## **HONG KONG** FOOTBALL CLUB

NOTICE

Playing members and intend ing playing members are inform ed that training for the soccer season has now commenced and will take place on every Tuesday and Thursday on the Club ground.

> K. W. FORROW Hon, Secretary.

## ARMY TRAIN IN AUSTRIA CHURCHILL TO

**BROADCAST** London, Aug. 13. Mr. Winston Churchill will deliver a 20-minute address Two bomb explosions took place within 60 miles of on the crisis over the BBC at 2015 GMT on Saturday. Mr. Churchill originally had scheduled his address for

Sunday night, but the BBC insisted on observation of its rule that no controversial speech be given on the Sabbath.-United Press. 1 The train was derailed as it passed by a cliff edge

### during the darkness at Mallnitz, near its jour-Emergency crews and break- and a number of Forces men and VICETOY searchlights, went to the scene to son was taken to hospital. A second bomb had failed to ex. Join A small bomb which exploded -estivity outside Military Headquarters at

Velden, caused neither casualties Karachi, Aug. 13. [ nor damage to the building, which Vircount Mountbatten, Viceroy was occupied by the staff of 138 of India, and Lady Mountbatten arrived tonight in Karachi, While British n.flitary police capital of the new Dominion of and the civilian force attempted Pakistan, to take part in the cele-Auckland, N.Z., Aug. 14. to trace the people responsible brations which will mark the birth

Statements attributed to Quen- for the train wrecking, it was un- of a nation. tin Pope of the Chicago Tribune officially believed here that They were to be the guests of that New Zealanders bought Jewish terrorists were involved honour at a State dinner given nation clauses of the loan agree-American flags instead of Union The help of the American authori- tonight by Mr. Jinnah, Governor-Jacks to wave at Field Marshal ties in the neighbouring zone, was General of the new Dominion, and were later attending a great recoption at which thousands of But for the fact that a baggage guests were expected.

van was next to the engine the Lord Mountbatten, who on "Never in the history of the casualties might have been more Friday becomes Governor-General British Empire were our relation. serious. The floor of the van was of the Dominion of India, will officials could see was virtual ships with other British countries shattered and the next four address the Pakistan Constituent chaos in the foreign exchanges Assembly and deliver a message from the King.

Aftenwards he is to drive in The Austrian Ministry of the state through the wide modern Interior announced tonight that a streets of Karachi, lined with New Zealand and the United Tewish refugee from Poland had British and Indian troops, to States had been accredited to been shot and captured in the Government House, before flying sury, announced that he would area where the train was derailed back shortly after noon to New lead the American delegation to and that there was a "defi ite Delhi.-Reuter. chance" he might be connected

## Asks Troops Withdrawal

Lake Success, Aug. 13. The Prime Minister of Egypt, Mahmoud El Nokrashy Pasha, today called on the United Nations Security Council to order that British troops. be withdrawn from his country by Sept. 1 of this year. This was the first time a date had

Nokrashy Pasha, who was | gan, the British spokesman, ask speaking for the third time in the Council to dismiss the the Security Council on Egypt's | Egyptian case.

endangers peace and security Egypt deliberately creates one rather than to comply with her international ob-

The British delegate, speaking of the British sojourn in Egypt, said: "The British found Egypt under an arbitrary though inefficient despotism. When they left, elements of rule of law had been established. Arbitrary despotism is characteristic of Nazism. When the When they left both these things had ceased. Slavery is

a characteristic of Nazism." "Threat To Peace" Nokrashy Pasha warned that the presence of British forces in Egypt and the Sudan was a

possible threat to peace. "The situation is that resentment against their presence is rife," he said. "It cannot be stifled and it cannot be ignored. In quite recent months the surge of public feelings has brought about bloodshed and has exacted a human toll.

"We ask the Security Councll to take account of the repercussions of this dispute on the whole of the Middle East. Egypt wants to live her own life free from the iron hand of

a powerful invader. Monday or Tuesday, to allow for "As a sovereign equal state, a simultaneous release in the two Egypt wants to enjoy her rightful place in the family of the United Nations. Between the 1986 treaty and the Charter, we It was learned that the Iraq have chosen the Charter."-Reuter.

London, Aug. 14. Captain C. G. Illingworth, spry, July 15 to the year end.—Router. Mary, last night was appointed commodore of the Cunard White Bisset, who retired on July 3.

The appointment was announced as the Queen Mary docked at Southampton after her first The United States has agreed return crossing from New York with France and Britain to hold following her recent refitting as

> Cunard's senjor captain lilingship days.—Associated Press.

Washington London, Aug. 13. Composition Leader will be Sir Wilfred

Eady of the Treasury. The other members are Sir Edmund Hall-Patch of the Foreign Office, Mr. H. J. B. Lintott of the Board of Trade, Mr. Thompson-McCausland and Mr. P. S. Benle of the Bank of Eng-

Washington on Friday evening. Whitehall today expected the talks to be brief and to centre not on mere technicalities of the convertibility and discrimiment but on the vital question of whether the United States Treasury can get an appropriation to support sterling after the loan is exhausted.

and disruption of trade between the dollar area and the rest of the world.

Snyder, Secretary of the Trea-

## The official announcement

been ment oned by Egypt.

complaint against Britain, had Sir Alexander declared: just heard Sir Alexander Cado- "There is no dispute here which

'igntions."

Duccesses Athens, Aug. 13.

following his return from a tour of Northern Greece, said today that the guerillas had cut British come to Egypt they off a large area and might soon establish a free found slave trading and slavery.

Communist state in or near the town Florina, just below the Albanian frontier. Dragoumis said that arrested two prominent Cont-Floring, along with Kastoria munist leaders there and con-Amydeon, could be con- fiscated important documents.—

The former Minister of War, Phillip Dragoumis

The rebels, he said, were With where they "probably will esta-

Press dispatches that on Monday a band of India was scheduled for signature guerillas entered the western tomorrow morning. section of Floring before being repulsed with heavy losses. Rebel bands based in the Vora mountains also threatened to occupy the towns of Kelli, Meliti and Vevi, near Florina, published as early as tomorrow M. Dragoumis said. He added afternoon or Friday morning. that the guerillas had no diffi-

food from Albania. landing along the north Pelop- to be re tectively £15,000,000 and ponese coast and the authorities | £5,000,0,0, for surpluses and rethere were guarding the waters | patrictions, with patrol boats.

Hideout Found Reports from Patras in this area said guerillas cut communication lines between near-

by Serigoula and Palcherion and later troops drove hundreds of guerillas from the heights overlooking the coast leaving a considerable number of dead and wounded. " Brief attacks, at two other

vilages in the same constal

area were reported. arms and ammunition were hid- gone to London to settle final de-l'beth during their waritine troop-The police said they had talls - Routen

London, Aug. 13. Britain's sterling agreement with Iraq was signed here this reported morning, and the agreement with Publication of the Iraq agreement is not yet expected until next

The Indian agreement may be culty in getting supplies and agreement is for five years, releasing from Iraq's sterling The Ministry of Public Order | balances 23,000,000 a year, for a

> The Indian agreement will be for five and a half months, from 64-year-old captain of the Queen

## LONDON TALKS ON Star fleet to replace Sir James GERMANY

Washington, Aug. 13.

a three-power conference on the the world's second largest luxury Gorman lovel of industry and liner, coal production in London. - Arrangements to hold the meet- worth went to see in sail and has In the meantime, the Salonika ing as soon as possible are now been in the Cunard services since police reported the discovery of proceeding and two State De. 1910. He commanded both the an underground hideout where pariment experts have already Queen Mary and the Queen Eliza-

## British delegation to Washington to discuss the dollar crisis was decided today.

BRITISH

Dollar

Talks In

They will leave by air for

The only alternative London

In Washington, Mr. John the talks.—Reuter.

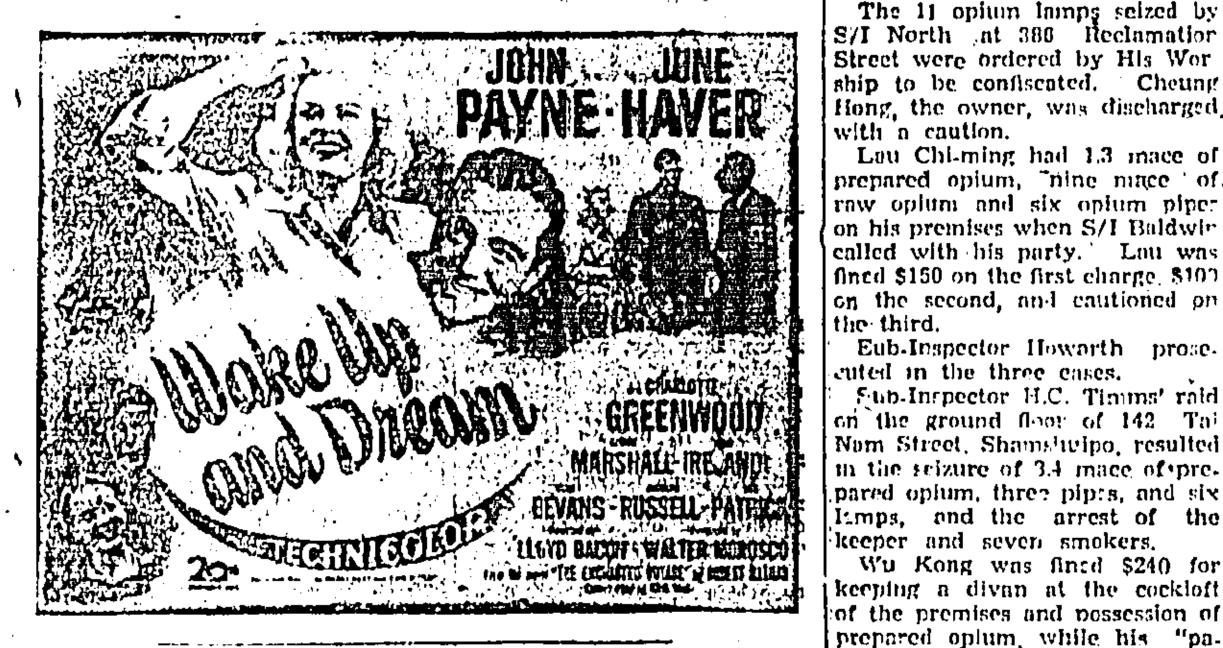


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## The Courts

Prisoner Hung

verdict of suicide by hanging

was returned at an inquest yester-

Ansistant Chief Priron Officer A.

Officer Millar who locked him up

Mr., F.X. d'Almada sat as

TSE HAD TO

Tse Sin-pong, 23, was fined \$250

Revenue Officer Leonard, in-

Dispensary exclusively for sale in \$50.

China. Every package contained

a Chinese, chop containing the

Defendant pleaded that he pur-

TAXI DRIVER

ROBBED

o'clock last night, held up the

They robbed him of \$30 odd

The robbers made good their

escape after warning the driver

**BAG-SNATCHER** 

Mrs. W. H. Bailey of Rytton louse, Mody Road, had her

were walking along Austin

Avenue at 9:15 p.m. last night:

The snatcher was caught by an unknown Chinese and hand-

**EXCESS PASSENGERS** 

A fine of \$200 or six weeks

hard labour was imposed by

for having on board eight excess

was fined \$30 or 10 days for using

bright light for fishing in

RECKLESS CYCLIST

Ng Pak Wah 21, apprentice,

charged before Mr. F.X. d'Almada

at Central yesterday with driving

a bicycle in a langerous manner

in Queen's Road East near Garden

Rond, was fined \$25 or one week.

with one arm and steering his

Defendant was not only en-

dangering his own life but the

DON'T SPIT

Inspector Ho Chung Yuen

d'Almada ab Central yesterday

They were all fined \$20 or two

VICTORY

TODAY ONLY

TO-MORROW

ISLANDS"

20th Century-Fox Picture.

bicycle with the other

lives of others.

A.S.P. Halg Brown said defendent was hanging on to a tram

a prohibited area.

ed over to the RAF Police.

in cash and a wrist-watch.

not to give the alarm.

chased the medicine from Chinese

soldiers and did not know that the

words "Not for export".

duty had not been paid:

six bottles of "Pectex" cough

Himself

## tion for five Police raid- Fellow-Prisoners ing parties, led by Detective Sub-Inspectors J. M. In Morrest, W. G. Morrison

Reclamation Street

was the centre of atten-

and Baker, and Sub-In-

Lo Wing's dive at 209 Reclama.

by DSI Morrison. Three lamps,

Latimer at Kowloon yesterday.

place was raided by S/I Baker,

prepared oplum on the premises.

Chan, with a previous conviction

for keeping a divan, was fined.

\$50 by Mr. W.A. Blair-Kerr yes.

The 11 opium lamps seized by

Lau Chi-ming had 1.3 mace of

Eub-Inspector Howarth prose-

Sub-Inspector H.C. Timms' raid

on the ground floor of 142. Tai

keeping a divan at the cockloft

trons" were muleted in the sum

of \$15 each: \$50.40 seized during

the raid was ordered to be

**EMBARRASSMENT** 

The Press Relations Officer said

yesterday that the Imports and

embarrassed should the appeal to

the Governor-In-Council by 24

and Export Department were pre-

pared to meet any claims in the

event of the appellants succeeding

**FUND** 

Hong Kong Government Contribu-

Grand Total \$2,694,975.86.

MEMORIAL

in their appeal.

confiscation order succeeds.

donated to the Poor Box.

cuted in the three cases.

keeper and seven smokers,

prepared opium, "nine mace 'of

noon.

terday.

with a caution.

the third.

Leung Shing and Cheung Kwok Hung, serving sentences at spectors North and Bald-Stanley Goal, were sentenced to day on the death of Lul Shing, win, on Thursday after- an additional three months by Mr. found hanged in his coil Thomas Tam at Central yesterday Stenley Prison on Aug. 10. with enusing bodily harm to Lui Sam and Lai Fai, fellow-prisoners, Giller told the jury that deseased tion Street, first floor, was visited by stabbing them with sharp was last seen alive by Prison

two opium pipes and five smokers Robert Sydney Rosen, worder, for the night at 4.25 p.m. on Aug were found on the premises. Lo said in evidence that at 7.00 a.m. 9. In the morning, was fined \$150, four smokers \$15 on June 16, when the prisoners desensed's cell was opened by a each, and one \$10 by Mr. W.H. were arrembled in yard, he saw Chinese. Warder, he was found defendants rush at two other pri- hanging from a window by part that the two factories, situated For keeping a divan at 251 Resoners who were serving long of his blanket. clamation Street, first floor, and

for possession of 3.3 mace of pre-A fight ensued resulting in in- Coroner. pered oplam, Ip Kan was fined \$175, and his three smokers \$15 juries being inflicted on Lui Sam each by the same Magistrate. The Both accused in their statement

to the court related how the long-Inspector J. Orem prosecuted in term prisoners were trying to deprive the short-term prisoners when he admitted possession of When DSI Forrest paid a "visit" to Chan Yiu at 375 Reclamation The prosecuting officer told the balsam, duty on which had not Street he discovered 1.4 mace of

magistrate that there was a certain amount of provocation. was concerned with rice rations.

On hearing the sentence first defendant told his worship that he must be starving. He would anpreciate it if his worship would order him to be caned rather than gend him to prison.

Charged with the larceny of 81.068, Lal Wai, clerk of on his premises when S/I Baldwin Victoria Trading Company, was sentenced to four weeks hard fined \$150 on the first charge, \$100 blour by Mr. F.X, d'Almada at on the second, and cautioned on Central yesterday.

> The prosecuting officer told the court that defendant was drawing e salary of \$180 a month. On August 11, defendant's em-

ployer left \$1,068 in an unlocked drawer. The next morning discovered the loss and made a report to the police. limps, and the arrest of the

Defendant admitted the theft driver, Sin Kwan, with a reand took the police to No. 3 Man volver as he drew up at his des-Wu Kong was fined \$240 for Hing Lane where the money was found in a wooden box. Defenof the premises and possession of lant had spent \$20.

### PERJURY

On the application of Mr. M.A. do Silvo, for the defence, a remand of one week was granted by Mr. F.X. d'Almada at Central yesterday when Chung Tak Kwong of the Import & Export handbag containing money and Department appeared on counts of personal belongings valued at giving false information to the \$92, snatched from her by police, common assault and per- Chinese as she and her husband Exports Department would not be

## OLD OFFENDER

C.P.O. Porter of H.M.S. Tamar Chinese against a Magistrate's complainant when Wong The Government spokesman Sing, 18, unemployed, charged added that only the perishable with attempted larceny from the items of the confiscated goods person in Johnston Road, had been disposed of. The rest sentenced to three months hard Marine Magistrate Neil Garland was intact and under lock and labour to be followed by expuls on the master of a trading junk key awaiting the outcome of the  $|s_{000}$ . Defendant had a previous He explained that the Import

## **GAMBLERS**

Charged with gambling in insufficient life saving equipment. Statue Square, Ho Kai and five others, charged before Mr. F.X. in the event of an accident. d'Almada at Central yesterday, were fined \$25 each. Two others through insufficient evidence were discharged.

Cheung Por P.C.C. 1569, was Chinese Staff, Secretariat for Chinese Affairs \$77, Sir Henry | remanded until Aug. 22 when he and Lady Blackall \$300. Eastman appeared before Mr. d'Almada at Rodak Co. \$250. Total \$627: Central yesterday charged with attempting to obtain a bribe tion \$627, to Aug. 12 \$2,694,721.86; \$30 from Chau Pui on May 17 at Bowrington Road.

## PARIS

Parls, Aug. 13. The police arrested today two men found in possession of £1,000—in £1 notes many of them alleged to be forged—7,000 forged United dollars notes, and a large amount of Egyptian and Dutch money.

The charges against the men, Rue Navarin, is estimated at over charged with spitting in Wanchai, one of them a Corsican and the 3,000,000 francs.

The arrests came just as the cays. foreign currency black-marketing Paris police are tightening their

Total value of the haul, made after a raid on a house in the

watch on the currency black market, now showing revived activity as a result of the British Government's cut in the tourist allowance from: £75 to £85.

Forgers have come to the front in the revived ranket because the new regulations threaten a serious depletion of the black market supply, of real, pounds. Dealers are now forging pound notes for sale to French tourists going to England.

DIALOGUE IN MANDARIN middle, as have the genuine nound

French tourists are only allowed to take £5 out of Franco, to the temptation to deal in the black market before crossing the Channel is very great .- Reuter,

That long hours in factories have a most detrimental effect on the health of the women and girls working there was emphasised by Mr. E. C. Drown, Factory Inspector of the Labour Office in Mr. W. H. Latimer's Court yesterday.

Mr. Drown was the complainant in two summons against the manageress of the Yau Sing Weaving Factory and the Sang Kee Weaving Factory, both of 164 Kilung Street, for employ-

on the first and second floor respectively, were trading under one signboard Finding that it had to be registered but that registration would not be granted and to the working conditions being far from ideal, the owner (a woman) hit upon the brilliant idea of splitting the business into two, with two different signboards.

Two warnings were issued in May, continued Mr. Drown, as the result of complaints reformed Mr. W. A. Blair-Kerr at celved from neighbours. Night Kowleen yesterday that the bot- work was stopped temporary tles-were found during a search but recommenced soon after. he made at 653 Nathan Road. When he visited the premises had a wife and children and they ground ficer, at about 4 p.m. on at 9.45 p.m. on July 28, said Mr. Drown, he found six women on The mixture, emphasised R/O the first floor and four on the Leonard, were manufactured by second floor. Both defendants were fined the Canton branch of the Grand

### MURDER CHARGE

Appearing in custody on the charge of attempted murder. Lau Fuk, 30-year-old travelling trader, was, on the application of his defence counsel, Mr. C. A. Sutherton Russ, remanded for four days by Mr. Blair-Kerr yesterday. An application for bail was strenucusly opposed by S/I Ho-Two Chinese who engaged warth, and refused by His Wor-

taxi No. 4808 in the Central Dis- ship. trict and ordered to be driven Lau is being charged with atto Third Street in the Salying- | tempting to murder, by strangulapun District shortly after 10 tion, Chang Chi-ming, woman, at 145 Lai Chi Kok Road, third floor, on July 30.

## RADIO

-ZBW Hong Kong broadcasting m a frequency of 845 kilneycing from 12.30 to 2.00 p.m., and 6.30 to 11.00 p.m., and also on 9.52 megacycles in the 31 metre band from 12.30 to 1.15, 7.30 to 8.30 and 9:15 to 11:00 p.m.

12.30 p.m.-Dally Programme Summary. 2.32 p.m .- D.B.C. Transcription Service: "It's # Pleasure."

1.00 p.m .- News, Weather Report and Announcements. 1.10 p.m .- Orchestral Interlude. 1.15 p.m.—"Home on the Range." 11.80 p.m.—Popular Classics.

2.00 p.m.-Close Down. 6.00 p.m .- Studio: Children's Half-Hout 6.80 p.m .- Pallad Memories. 4 60 p.m .- Studio: "See Ter" on Sport. 7.00 p.m .- "You Asked for It" -- Variety

Request Programme presented by Monica Jacks. 8.00 p.m .- London Relay: World News. 8.10 p.m .- London Relay: Home News

from Britain. 8.15 pm.—Studio: "Music Hall." 8.45 p.m.—Orchestral Interlude.

8.53 p.m .- London Relay: "Goodwill Messages to India"-on occasion o S.I. Tate (prosecuting for the handing over of power by the fol Police) said a serious view was lowing speakers: Lord Pethick Lawtaken of the offence as there was rence, Viscount Wavell, Sir George Schuster, E. M. Forster and Robert Buckingham: The danger to life was obvious

9.10 pim.-Studior George Pearson and his Beach Boys, with Mart (Vocal). 9.80 p.m .- B.B.C. Transcription Service A mistress of a fishing sampan "The Fellowship of the Rrog" Epi sode 5-"The Brondcast," by Edgar

10.00 p.m .- London Relay; News. 10.10 p.m -- Weather Report. 0.11 p.m -Vivalili: "L'Estro Armonico

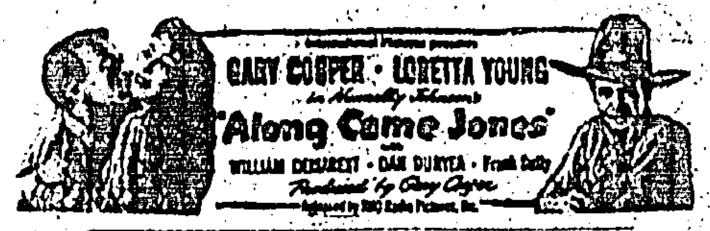
-Pro Arte Quartet. 0.20 p.m.-Music and Excerpts fro "Prince Igor" (Borodin), .00. p.m -- Close Down.

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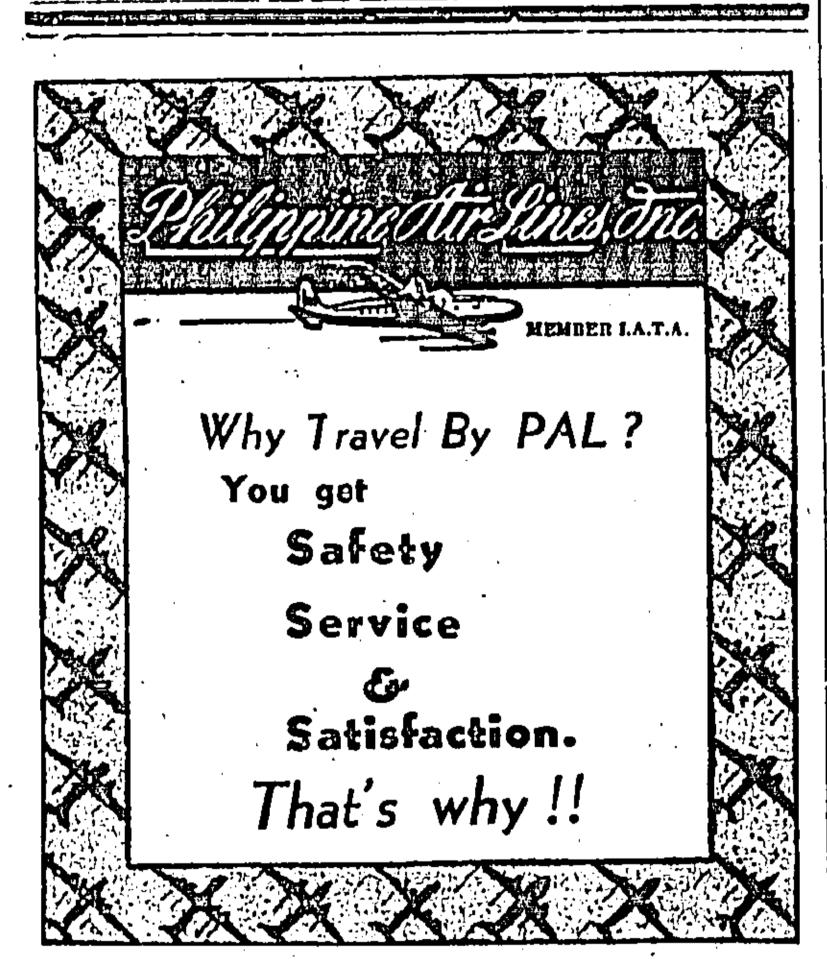
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### THE ARTISAN STRIKE THREAT

To take other than a serious view of the threatened walk-out of unions associated with Chinese Engineers' Institute is to but a deceptive and dangerous gloss on the situation. The term 'general strike' is of course a conof the action open to the particular unions that have agreed to Join, but they do represent an im- Mountbatten signed the final reportant part of the Colony's labour force, and their defection (if they decline to see reason, and an arly settlement proves to be unlony's principal industrial under- day. takings, and the waterworks, will be affected if the strike comes off, and in some instances there is a danger that a lock-out of other, unskilled, workers may be unavoidable should the dispute become a protracted one, as well it may. The demands, after all, are quite preposterous. For a sound economic halance, labour costs are already disproportionately high in relation to other items in the words spoken? working budgets of industrial firms. Ship-building and repairing, for instance, can today be

carried out more cheaply in a British yard than in Hong Kong, whether or not this is strictly ment. true, it must be apparent that any further overweighting of the bur- position-"The Tories." den of labour costs can only reault finally in the disappearance of the jobs and the wages. At the moment, the men have no forebodings of unemployment and tighter belts: and it is difficult to impress upon them that there is a for the making of fresh claims, though its tone was at times There is, in any case, strong reason to believe that the simple economic facts are of little imme-

diate concern to those who have organised the present agitation. or passing. Not so often in the To what extent political factors House does a member refer to have entered is difficult of assess- his political enemy as ment. The sole gauge is to be Honourable member for XYZ." barbed phrases. "You cheeky found in the launching of the at. He is inclined to reply to him crowd of beas'a" is more abuse tack on key industries, and only directly as "you:" if he means -and does not rank when one those European operated and con. "no" he may even permit him- thinks of other days, still in trolled. Neither are hints of in self to say so and avoid the living memory, when, for intimidation lacking, a thing which circulocution of "the unswer is stance, an M.P. (was it Mr. cannot also be said about the exis- in the negative." tence of a legitimate pretext for the threat of a walk-out. The that heard in the House of their shoulder blades and pointissues involved are, therefore, of Commons there has been a very eil finger at "that invertebrate wider concern than to the group common but not in general well gelatinous crew?" And was not of employers and the group of founded belief that the dignity the same statesman the author

iffected at once tomorrow morn- lowered by its advent. That time Prime Minister, Mr. Raming. Where sound claims for belief, it is true, was not sey Macdonald, as that "bone. improvement in wages and con- weakened by an incident of less wonder?" ditions have been advanced by the Colony's working men, at various times, this journal has been fully Alas, he rode in a chara-a-bane consfield) was once taunted in sympathetic. The same can be or rome such vehicle accom- the House as a "lineal descensaid of the Colony's Labour Of- ranied by a shouting crowd of dant of the impenitent thiof?" ficer and his assistants. Here, aupporters and, horror of Perhaps there is too little however, a demand has been horrors, a brass band, : made which seems to have been In that day of allk hats he days for witty exchanges in the placed so high as to prohibit a wore that badge of his "class" House. The legislative talking hasis of negotiation. In the face a cooth cap possibly less he machine under present manage-of all this, the circumstances per- should be taken, to be ape-ing ment in in almost perpetual

less, is there, unaltered.

mit of only one conclusion, disappression of the bourgeoisie. That was then motion. To-morrow we shall agreeable though it may be, that an almost unpardonable social wade through pages of talk and this contains elements not to be was looked upon as an insult by-play which will take our found in a straightforward indust to the House, and it took him funcy! but to the average M.P. trial dispute. The men are pro- (and incidentally his Party) a language has been given only bably less at fault than misguid- ling time to live it down. In the to conceal his meaning. ed., and it is significant that and his integrity and honosty "Nigger," said that the culled several more responsible groups of character won for him the man to his neighbour. have decided on a reasonable at respect of even the most conventitude. The challenge, neverthe tional and blue-blooded "Tory" in the Rouge.

come into existence and their pan's surrender to the Allies on three hundred million inhabi- August 15, 1945, which was tants attain the "freedom and cal'ed by all Japanese conquerequality of status accorded to ed territories "Liberation Day." all in the British Common- Today Viceroy Mountbatten wealth of Nations," according will sign away every form of

UNPARALLELED

### to the provisions of the India By HAROLD Independence Act of 1947. In twenty simple clauses this GUARD Bill has supplanted the ponderous Government of India Act

of 1935, comprising a solid British control over the new structure in some four hundred Deminions or any portion of sections of British government- them. Each will receive full al policy, and has achieved what legislative authority vested in has been declared by all British its Constituent, Assembly which political parties to be the goal is consequently empowered to of British statesmen for a gen- create its own Cabinet. Fast Job

Parliament than Independence Government's Secretary of the Second married Katherine State for India and the massive of Braganza, a part of her The actual Bill took less than adminis rative machinery of the dowry from Portugal was the half an hour to read. . It passed India Office in Whitehall which then Portuguese Concession of through its various stages of the protagonists of the Bill now | the island of Bombay, and so the 'egislation with astonishing claim is "an institution of re- British influence spread and speed and on July 18 five Peers | mote antiquity."

of the Realm, clad in traditional From today, also, the suzer- Trouble came in 1799 when the scarlet and ermine, assembled ninty of the Brilish Crown over the French under, Napoleon, as a Royal Commission to re- the five hundred odd Indian then engaged in his Egyptian States ruled by Princes lapses | campaign, were niming at a and all power and authority ex- Great Eastern Empire. Thus it was that King George | creisable by the Crown in re'a- | The British Administrator in VI of England relinquished his tion to them comes to an end. India at that time, Lord Wellestit e Emperor of India which leaving the States the right to ley, saw the necessity, of crushderable exaggeration of the scope was ordained by his grand- necede to either of the new Do- ing this dangerous power and mother Queen Victoria in 1877 minions.

five months to achieve—the in the British capture of severance of a connection with Seringapatam and the subnunciation of British supremacy India that began 350 years ago, sequent development of alin India which had reigned for expanded into regional control liances with Indian rulers aimnearly 200 years ago and be- ed at making the British the By setting up two Indian Do-I came a responsibility of the one paramount power. minions and conferring upon Crown in 1858. The entire them absolute contro! of their plan of procedure which Viceroy attainable) can have highly un- own affairs, the British Govern- Mounthatten introduced when desirable consequences. For the ment found it possible to re- he relieved Lord Wavell at the present, the essential utility com- linguish their power over India and of Morch this year was panies seem likely to become in- in what they claim to be a per- adopted almost without debate. volved, but several of the Co- feetly constitutional manner to- Its objective was a foregone conclusion and its attainment

(8) Where and on what occa-

Answer:-

sion were they uttered?

Commons at Westminster dur ing a discussion on certain other educated and well-informamendments proposed in the House of Lords to the Govern-

ment's bill nationalising trans-There was a time when the limit to the capacity of Hong House of Commons was re-Kong's economy to meet recurring garded by all the world (or so demands for higher wage levels, we like to fintter ourselves) as or that this particular moment, the most select of social clubs when boom, conditions are fast wherein the diction of the membeing replaced by business reces- bers rose straight from the well he perfection of polished im-

> Apparently, however, that is no longer the case.

The era of formality is past

not seem to be in accordance no great ceremony. (1) By a seasoned Scottish with the facts-which are that The great mutiny was laid to doctors, educationalists and to the British Crown in 1858.

any average government. Attice, and the Chancel'or of Mohandas K. Gandhi, the spirithe Exchequer, Mr. Hugh Dal- tual lender of all castes and ton, and did not the University creeds. sion, is the least appropriate time, of English pure and undefiled of Oxford hall-mark both of Minister, un-academic though he may be, wear the gown and hood of a doub'e first in the World's university?

So far the present House has "the not minted many memorable Winston Churchill?) gazed at the Government benches where Ever since "Labour" smade Ministers lounged supincly on employees who are likely to be and tone of the House has been of the description of the one-

Parliamentary, time in these

"Yo says words will yo'selfbut dey don mean nothing."---United Pross.

IN BRITISH HISTORY

It was at the close of the 16th century that the British became enger to share in the profits of Indian commerce and, after some smaller ventures, the London East India Company was incorporated by Queen Elizabeth under Royal Charter on

In 1639, by which time the Company was firmly established, the British acquired a strip of land on the east coast of India and formed the British Settlement of Madras which later

The Company prospered and expanded during the reign of No more appropriate date With breath-taking speed the Churles the First and dictator-

launched a campaign which All this has taken less than brought war to Mysore ending

> years later everything except the Kingdom of Nepal and the

British administration came with the mutiny of the Indian

written in blood shed in the l "You cheeky crowd of beasts." The iden, so widely held even ensuing Central India Camby many of us who have no paign—the massacre at Cawn-(1) By whom were those strong I political prejudices pore, the siege of Delhi and the is composed of and supported over the British Residency, conmainly by men and women of tinuously night and day, until the les privileged classes does it was today hauled down with

(Continued on Page 7)

Today two new British Do- The date is coincidental with came as hardly more than a his-minions—India and Pakistan— the second anniversary of Ja- torical statement of fact. East India Company

December 31, 1600.

became a Presidency.

could have been devised for the Vice ega! signature dispenses ship of Oliver Cromwell.

Bill's appearance in British with the offices of the British In 1622 when King Charles

prospered.

The Mutiny

the East India Company.

The history of the time is cither one way or the other, relief of Lucknow where, since DK 7 (2) To whom were they ad that the present administration 1882, the Union Jack has flown C3

or so it is generally asserted. But and Sociatist Member of Parlin- whatever the average intelli- the charge of the overbearing gence evel of the rank and file East India Company whose nerable). (2) To the Conservative Op- of its supporters at the polls eventful annuls were brought to South may be, there are in its rank a close by the transfer of the (3) In the British House of just about as many lawyers, entire administration of India From that day to this there ed units as there would be in has been a succession of battles between constitutionalism and "Whist Club club" system, where- DAK4 Doctrinaire it may be but not emerged the recognition in India out of which by 1-Club shows either an accignorant. Did not two public be makers of a single national response of 1-No Trump shows schools-Haileybury and Eton democracy to take over from two aces and of any suit except respectively—set their stamp the British—the Ali India Con- diamonds discloses the acc-king upon the Prime Minister, Mr. gress Party nurtured by of the suit, an answer of 1-Diaaces on the first round-which a

COPR. 1947 BY WEA GENTICE, ING. Y. M. REG. U. M. PAY, OFF. "Gentlemen, the arguments presented by my colleague are sound-nothing but sound!"

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### THRIVE ON **ADVERSITY**

Only the game fish swims pendent native rulers; twenty fine bridge player seems to thrive so he could ruff only one. He on adversity. When the most scored the club A and diamond harmful lend possible is made by A, ruffed the diamond 3, discardthe defence, a burden is some-Punjab was under the sway of times put on him which nobody two top spades, led the spade 10 else in the same tournament has and over-ruffed East's club 10 Crisis came with complaints to carry. He may then he comagainst the highhandedness of pelled to work out an intricate the British ruling class and in play in order to get the same re-1857 the most serious threat to sult which his rivals at other tables obtain without the slightest

real effort. SAK 109842 H A J 10 W E DJ 1065 S None

D'A983 CAKQJ862 1NT

... - **3S** -- --South was Walter Beinceke, chairman of New York's Inter-Club league, who was using the HAQB mond denying any of those. Thus

Other pairs in the tournament reached 7-Clubs, making the contract easily because two diamonds got ruffed in dummy. But West of India was still under inde- upstream, they say, and only the led a club against Mr. Beidecke, od a diamond and a heart on with the J, then ran clubs.

With West marked for the spades and East probably the dlamonds, neither could protect hearts when the double squeeze was built. As the eleventh trick brought the last club lead, Mr. Beinecke had the heart 6 and diamond 8, and dummy the heart A-J and spade 9. West dared not discard his spade, so throw the heart 9. The spade was discarded from dummy, and East now had an impossible assignment. If he tossed the diamond J, the 8 would be good, so he discarded his heart 5. Then the heart 6 to the A dropped both hostile honours, making the J good for the final

## Tomorrow's Problem

S 10 8 5 H None DQJ 10 8 7 6 2 CJ 10 2

8 None HKJ9043 D None CAKQ9653

(Dealer: North, North-South he knew all about North's two vulnerable). Over South's 1-Heart opener in Blackwood conventioneer would a rubber game, what would you do on West's big hand?

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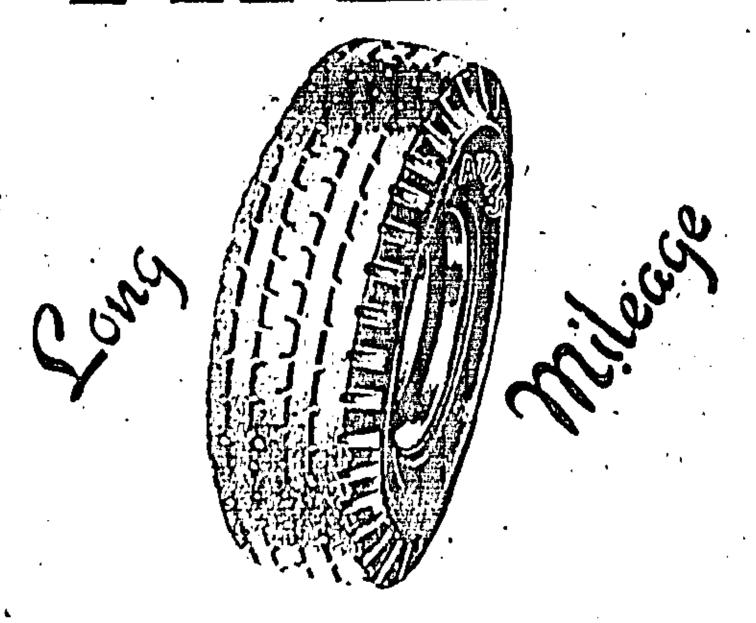
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## LABOUR ORDER APPROVED T.U.C. And Employers Back Crisis Plan

Regulation Of Manpower

London, Aug. 13. The Labour Govenment moved swiftly today under its new sweeping powers to deal with Britain's economic crisis as a conference of employers and trade unionists stamped approval on the Government draft order providing for limited direction of labour in most fields of industry.

Under the terms of the order, to take effect on Oct.

1, labour direction will be achieved by channelling all job applicants through Government established labour exchanges. These agencies will be given power to direct them into essential industries.

Approval was given at a con-

Men and women employed

in professional, administrative,

and managerial capacities were

and merchant scamen, whose hir

are covered by the order. Em.

ployers will not be permitted to

Longer Hours

George Isnaes with representa-

# Pitheads

ing already is regulated by industrial agreements. Employment .in Washington, Aug. 13. coal mining, agricultural and the The Anglo - American building and civil engineering inconference on Ruhr coal dustries is already subject to Govproduction was told by a ernment control. British spokesman here women aged 18 through 40—ex- This statement is made in view today that coal was pil- cept women with children under of the great amount of proing up at the German 15 years old living with thempitheads because of lack of transport.

said that both sides agreed that covered by the order. overhaul of the Ruhr's railway system was one of the most important problems to be tackled. there there should be increased the civil war in that country.

argument against French tries. claims that more Ruhr coal Adjournment last night of the to the war and that Brazil and should go to France, to be used House of Commons left the La. Argentina must consider mediathere in processing steel rather bour Government free to cope tion as a duty. Both countries than in Germany.

Other delegates examining practically unlimited emergency three occasions. Ruhr food problems were un- powers, increased

Much absenteeism was due to clated Press. the miners, seeking food elsewhere to supplement their scanty rations, the spokesman said. The British delegation leader, Sir William Strang, is understood to be well satisfied with the progress so far of the talks,

which began behind closed doors yesterday. Two of the most controversial ment - have not yet been tackled .- Reuter.

London, Aug. 14. Criticizing the freedem accorded to Russian Soviet citizens in Britain, Brigadier General A. R. W. Low pointed out in the House of Commons tiday that the Soviet "trade delegation" has 46 different telephone numbers in the London directory. He said wondered where the trade was .-Reuter.

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### PEN PALS FOR UNDERSTANDING

Moisson, Aug. 13. American delegates, at the American delegates, at the Sixth World Boy Scout Jamborce today inaugurated a 
"pen pal system" to unite Boy Scouts in all nations, including Soviet sphere countries.
W. Arthur McKinney of New York, Executive Director of the American group and Assistant Chief Scout in the United States, said that exchange of letters among scouts of all nations will proscouts of all nations will pro-mote "better world" understanding."---United Press.

## of Labour Minister ASUNSION tives of the Employers Confederation and the powerful Trades Safe?

Washington, Aug. 14. Guitlerino Encisco, Paraguayan Ambassador, said he had been inexempted as were dock workers formed that "the altempt by the Communist revolt? to seize Asun- hooked over my bow." sion the country's capital, "has been repulsed."

Morino. He added; "The situal eight feet,--Reuter. paganda which has been circulat-

ed from other countries." Meanwhile the dawn arrival in hire people within these ages. If Riode Janeiro of Justo Prieto, Sources close to the conference they are engaged in any industry self-styled "observer for the Para." gunyan rebels," indicated today that the Inter-American confer-The conferces also agreed that ence might be asked to mediate

It was also accepted that working, hours, when fuel sup. Prieto, former, Foreign Minister transport difficulties provided an plies permit, in essential Indus. of Paraguay, said the American nations could not be indefferent with the economic crisis under have tried but failed-Brazil on

Mediation of the Paraguayan derstood to have been told by In another phase of the econo. war was not on the agenda of the a British spokesman that the mic picture, a British delegation conference but the presence of miners would not work fully prepared to fly to Washington for Justo indicated the insurgents until their diet was considerably talks on revising the British. might ask other American nations American loan regreement.--Asso. to stop the conflict,--Associated

London, Aug. 13.

Eden Sarcasm

Mr. Morrison said that on the

basis of passage through the

The former Foreign Secre-

who move the motion for an

By Oct. 20, the American loan

would be exhausted and the

House had no information

Members of Parliament could

London, Aug. 14.

Lord Addison, Secretary of

State for Commonwealth Relati

tions will lend the British delega-

tion, to the Commonwealth con-

ference for an exchange of views

on the Japanese peace terms

opening in Canberra on Aug. 20.

last "right" and Lord Addisor

would be assisted by the Minister

of State, Mr. Hector McNell, who

is first assistant to Foreign

Other members of the United

Becretary Ernest Bevin.

A Government announcement

not be content to be absent

months at this time.

points — finance and manage- In a last minute attempt before Parliament rose today for its summer recess to put a brake on misuse of the sweeping emergency powers which the Government has secured for handling the dollar crisis, Conservative peers, with a majority in the House of Lords, passed an amendment to bring back the Upper Chamber from its summer recess on Sept. 9 instead of Oct. 14 as originally proposed.

Earlier the House of Com- success of the nation's indusmons had refused to support an trial effort." opposition amendment to the adjournment motion which would ca'l the Lower Chamber buck on Sept. 16. The motion to edjourn today until Oct. 20 was endorsed by 193 votes to House of Lords of the Supplies and Services Bill, perhaps the

The House of Lords had also Lords, when they came to conpassed without amendment the sider the Government's actions Government's "crisis" bill during the Commons recess, Supplies and Services Bill-giv- would be "more public-spirited ing it powers to deal with the than the Opposition in the economic emergency. It be- House of Commons." came law a few hours later when it received Royal Assent, tary, Mr. Anthony Eden, de- Press. The Opposition leader in the puty leader of the Opposition, House of Lords, Lord Salisbury, giving reasons for the early recall of the House of earlier recall of the peers, said Commons, declared that it was that when Parliament was not quite unacceptable for the sitting orders might become House to adjourn for over two

"Revolutionary" Peers about what the Government It was to meet this difficulty that the Lords would sit at in- proposed to do about it. tervals during the recess to examine such orders.

operative weeks before Parlia-

ment could even consider them.

Remarking that the Opposi-Pspeciators while the Governtion peers were becoming "very ment "does the splits over an revolutionary" and that it had never been done before, the Lord Chancel'or (Lord Jowitt). Commonwealth sume on Sept 9 it would not be Canforonco possible to annul any order. UIIICI CIUC All it could do was to debate

the order. He agreed to the proposal, however, adding; "We shall see

how it works." In the House of Commons, Mr. Herbert Morrison, Lord President of the Council, said that if the Government came to the conclusion that it was in the public interest for the House to resume carlier, reprenentations would be made to the Speaker for this to be done.

He accused the Opposition of going out of its way to "atir Kingdom delegation include Maiup trouble, to cause the people coim MacDonald, Governor Gento be nervous, frightened and lerat of Malaya, and E. J. Williams, littery and to do deverything | U.K. High Commissioner in Aust they can politically to impade I tralla .- Associated Press.

## Collision Thick

Port Angeles,

Washington, Aug. 13. The United States motor ship Diamond Knot, 3,805 tons, was rammed amidships by a heavy Victory, of freighte<del>r</del>, 7,607 tons, in fog early today and sank after daybreak near Crescent Bay, west of Port An-

The Diamond Knot was being towed by two tugs when she sank. She was carrying a salmon eargo valued at \$750,000. After the collision, the Victory radioed in a dramatic SOS: "I am keeping the Dlamond Knot affoat with her cross-trees

A message from the Coast Guard station at Scattle said The Ambassador said today he that the ships collided in heavy received his information in a fog and that the Diamond Knot cable from President Higina was penetrated to a depth of

## Vacancy On Decurity

Lake Success, Aug. 13. . The Pacific powers faced the possibility of losing a seat on the United Nations Security Council when it was learned that the Western powers were hoosting

Canada's candidacy. Australia, Brazil and Poland leave their non-permanent, seats on Dec. 31, having occupied them for two years as stipulated by the Council. Should Canada take Australia's seat, the Pacific pow. ers lose a seat.

Observers indicated that Canada possibility that India or the Philippines might succeed Austra-

A contest between Russia and the western blocs in naming a successor to Poland is niready foreseen. It was reported that Canada would accept the post if elected this autumn, in exchange for staying out of the running in the choice for a General Assembly President.—United Press.

Lake Success, Aug. 14. Pakistan gave notice today of intention to apply for membership in the United Nations. This course was an alternative to be put Into effect if the United Nations decide against admitting the Moslem majority Dominion automatically when it attains independence from British rule on Fri

The United Nations Legal Department, in an opinion approved by Secretary-General Trygve Lie. already had held that the Hindumajority Dominion of India, celebrating its independence on Friday also, would retain the charter membership held by British India and that Pakistan would be a non-member state. - Associated

### ·EVENT UNPARALLELED IN BRITISH HISTORY

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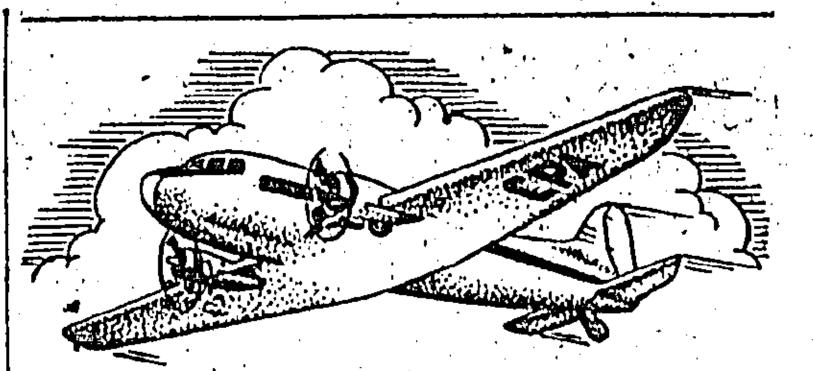
Gandhi and his Congress 'enders, in the time of their "Quit India" agitation, spoke confidently for the Indian people seeking full self-determination and government From 1931 the Congress

ever, widening abyes."-Reuter. Party trod a hard and rocky a!though progressive path towards their goal without a glance into the shadows beyond their vision.

But, out of these shadows

emerged Pakistan which, under the leadership of Mohammed All Jinnah the Mosem leader, embodies for Moslems in India what remains of the Old Mogul Empire which burst into India and captured Delhi in 1898. A flourish of a pen by the inst Viceroy of India, grandson of the first Empress of India, now creates these two Asia-

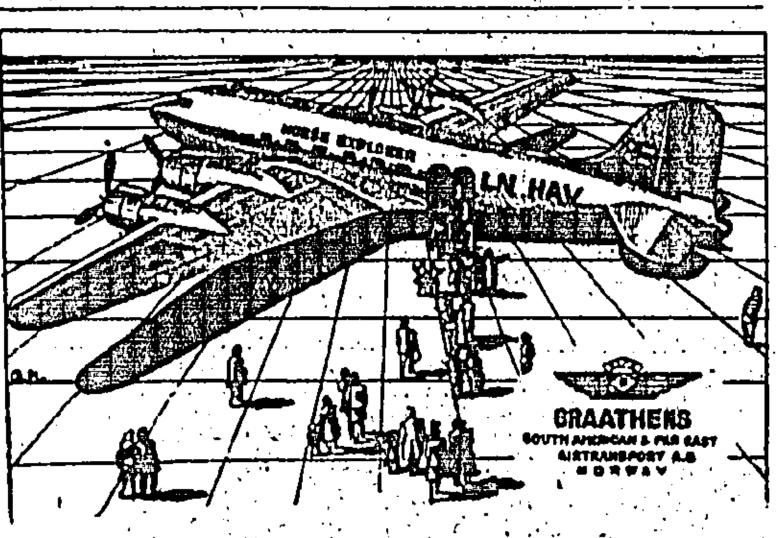
tic Dominions—an event without parallel in the history of the British Commonwealth and the dawn of new relations between Britain, Todia ?? and Pakintan, with King George VI atili bearing the title "King of HEC. Tel. 30311 All Dominions .. Oversess." United Press.



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London, Aug. 13. The further drawing of US\$150,000,000 from Britain's United States loan, announced by the United States, Treasury today, was actually made last Monday, Aug. 11, it was disclosed in London tonight.

It thus just escaped disclosure in the British Treasury's return, published yesterday, for the

regarded as alarming, and only

Stopping The Jap

Her dollar drain would then

SITUATION

Britain tapped its dwindling American loan for an

United States accelerated moves to prevent

Europe's economic crisis from becoming

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Washington, Aug. 14.

findings. - Associated Associated Pross.

**BOMBAY SILVER** 

& GOLD

Bombay, Aug. 13.

stock of \$2,400,000,000.

week ended Aug. 9. Whitehall today repeated itsIrnq are only now being signed. belief that part of the recent; Allowance of as much as run on sterling was non- \$50,000,000 for this would still recurrent and would abate, and indicate the recent spending rate its warning against reading too as higher than in the April to much into these short-term June quarter, which was itself figures of drawings.

Nevertheless, the storm has moderately below the July rate. obviously not abated as yet. On July 25, Britain drew \$300,000,- \$6,000,000,000, a loan remnant of \$850,000,000, plus the safely and has since drawn \$20,000,000 spendable fraction of a gold Market

If the whole of that has been spent in the period of little more than two weeks between July 25 . ing must have been even heavier throw away her gold stock --disclosed' at \$538,000,000

### A Reserve

such prospect as yet, ... This, however, cannot be as-Mr. Dalton himself on sterling indicated that Britain that the spending rate differs from her own resources could indefinitely maintain convertifrom the drawing rate,

It was known that part of the bility, she could start tapping record July 25 drawing was a her gold stock before drawing reserve for a special contingency, the last of the loan, numely releases from the storling balances under Britain's not only be smaller but also Some of would be less advised. various agreements this contingency reserve still . Today's news shows that no presumnbly exists, especially as such comfort can be drawn as Morris. the agreements with India and yet .- Reuter.

collapse.

European reconstruction.

750,000,000.

## **GOLD RUMOURS** DENIED

Washington, Aug. 13.
The Secretary of the Trea-nury today repeated the denial by Mr. Frank Southard, head of the Treasury's International Finance Division, that the United States may increase to \$50 per ounce: the price at which the United States is prepared to buy

The Treasury said: "We have no such plans. There has been no discussion on the subject and we have received no request for such a move from an outside source."—

Timed demand lifted assorted It was authoritatively repeatand Aug. 11, the rate of spend- ed today that Britain would not aviations and special stocks, but Douglas MacArthur. despite sizeable, trades in .. low than the rulnous July figure that she would use it as a stop- gible and many leaders remained which the Chancellor of the Ex- gap only if there were a pros- in the minus column. Gains of chequer. Mr. Hugh Dalton, has pect that it would really stop fractions to a point or so were the gap - and these loan figures, well distributed at the close at clearly imply that there is no though declines of as much peralsted. Buying was belatered by the belief that the recent relapse If an abatement of the run technical shape.

Transfers totalled accounted for some 140,000. Gainers included McIntyre Porcupine, American' Woollen, Sun Atlantic Refining, Glenn

Among laggards were Caterpillar Trautor, Western Union A. Dow Chemical, Santa Fo, Philip-

Dow Jones averages: Stocks 64.21, 20 Industrials 179.80, Rails 48.30, 10 Utilitien 35.47. Clasing stock quotations:

Adams Express 10%, Alaska Juneau 54. American Can 89, American Amelt-Ing 58%. American Telephone, 186% American Tobacco 75%, American Waterworks 10%, Anscanda Copper 35%, Avintion Corp. 5 %. Baldwin Locomotive 17% additional \$150,000,000 on Wednesday as the Barnsdall. 28%, Bendix Aviation 81, 16%, Borden Co. 4314, Canadian Pacific 11 14. J. I. Case 38 M. Chrysler 59 14. Colgate 48 14. Commercial Bolvents 2514. Corn Products 644, Dupont 189, Eastman Kodak 45. Electric Light & Power 10%. General Electric 30%, General Motors 59, 1-The United States and don that the United States was Goodrich 50%, Goodyear 48, Greyhound Britain agreed to begin talks planning to boost the price paid |9% Homestake Mining 46% International Harvester 8034, International Tel. & 140% n. here on Monday on modifying for gold from 35 to 50 do'lars Tel. 11 14. Johns Manville 42%, Kennecott Copper 4374. Montgomery Ward 5934, Rumours had been wides-| National Distillers 20%. National Lead 32%. New York Central 14%, Packard Motors 5, Pan American Alrways 10%, were completed for a confer- ned to increase the flow of dol- Pennsylvania RR 19%, Radio Corp. 8%, | 4214. s. Republic Steel 20%, Reynolds Tobacco tain and France in London next | The closely linked nature of 40%, Schenley 28%, Sears Rochuck 38%, 24%; R.K. Lands (Old) 78%; the Shell Oil 31%, Socony Vacuum 1614, (New), 7616n; Shanghai Landa 354n; Bouthern Pacific 48, Standard Brands Humphreys Estates 26n; H.K. Roalties industrial production to aid British loan, Ruhr coal and soil, Standard Oil of Calif. 50, Standard Germany's industria! level- | Olf of N.J. 77%, Studebaker 20%, Union

## LONDON SILVER & GOLD

London, Aug. 13. Forward per fine, ounce Silver, Rendy, per 100 tolas 176 38% d;

week.

Coul output had increased last Rupeer, 10 Annas; New Settle- 38% d. ment (Unofficial) 171, 02; For- Bar ward, per 100 tolas 174, 10.

U.S. Bar, Gold, fine, ounce 172/3 U.S. Gold' (New York Free-Market \$45N .- Reuter.

> U.K. INDEX London, Aug. 18. Industrials 130.8, Raffirs 99.9. Homo Rails 96.1, Commedity 332.8.

Washington, Aug. 14. A loan of perhaps \$20,000,000 finance Japanese purchases of American cotton, and thereby help reestablish

a cotton industry in Japan, is under "general discussion" by financial officials here.

An official of the Export-Import Bank disclosed today that such a suggestion has been made, but no concrete proposal is before the Bank. Presumably any request for such a loan would come from

A similar cotton loan for quoted issues, doublings were negli- Germany already is pending before the Export-Import Bank.

Meanwhile, the Agriculture Department reported that bought 61,450 bales of cotton for export to Japan under a purchase offer announced on July 18. The had placed the list in healthy purchases included 5,000 bales of spotted cotton. The remain-600,000 der was practically all white shares, whereof Packard Motors cotton of which 37,000 bales were low middling or lower in grade. -Associated Press.

## H.K. Stock Exchange

Nervousness was apparent most of the lay and prices were affected as a result. China Lights (Old) stood up well with only fractional differences and offerings were freely absorbed; H.R. Electrics changed hands from \$76 to \$78. Must other issues were neglected. II.K. Govt. Louns: 4% Loan 834% Loan 1916. banks: H.K., & B. Bank 1960b, 1996s. 1975/80sa, (Lon. Reg.) £111n; Chartered Bethlehem Steel 87%; Boeing Aircraft Bank 211%n: Mercantile Bank A. & B.

£22n; Bank of East Asia 110n. Insurances: Canton Ins. 580b, 400a: Union ina 790s, 770sa; China Underwriters on: H.K. Fire ins. 275b. Shipping: Douglases 260n; II.K. & Stramboats 10n: Indo Chinas (Pref. 10in, (Def.) 379n; Shella (Bearer) 95/-n; Union Waterboats (Old) 431/4n. (New)

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Mining: Raub Mines 7s: ILK. Mines 18b; Chinese Estates 199n. . . Public Utilities: H.K. Tramways 24b,

3—British withdrawal of ansmale it probable they would be other \$150,000,000 left only followed by a larger meeting \$250,000,000 of the original \$3,- later to put together the piece- Tube 08%, Gen. Pub. Utilities 14%,— 17%/17/17 Gen. (New). 12b, 151% at H.K. 24 % sa; Peak Trams (Old) 11n. (New) Electrics 72 1/2 b, 75/2 1/2 /8 sn; Macao Electrica 22 % n; Sandakan Lighta 18n; Telephones: (Old) 45 1/2, 40sz. (New) 35s. Industriale: Conton Ices 714n; Cements (X. Ris.) 80b, 21s, 20/20 1/4sa, (Rights) 20 % a: H.K. Ropes 19 % n.

Stores &c.: Dalry Furms 78a, 77sa; Watsons 59n: Lane, Crawfords 60ss: Binceres 11n; China Emporium Converted 14%n; Sun Co., Ltd. Gn; Kwong Bang Hong 215n; Wing On (H.K.) 160n; Wm. Powell, Ltd. 6n. Miscellaneous: China Entertainments

U.S. Gold, per fine, cunce \$35; 17n; H.K. Constructions (Old) 70; (New) on; Vibro Piling 6%n; Marsman Investments 13/In; Maraman' (H.K.) 1/6n. Cettons: Ewes' 9b.

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by Mr. F.H. Loseby.

Mr. A. Lonsdale, assisted by 1942 by the plaintiff. ing for the defendant.

from Shanghai under arrest on no suggestion that he did any- with his past. board H.M.A.S. "Warramunga" thing clae."

hat the defendant, without Churchill. lawful authority, caused him to from Feb. 21, 1947, until Mar. ment of travel required by hai and was in internment for the Colony without the neces-Section 9 (b) of the Immigra- the last three years of the war. sary travel documents.

tion Control Ordinance. Mr. Bernacchi said there ap- prejudice because in my conneared to be very serious mis- | tention it is totally | irrelevant apprehensions on the part of to this case. Crown Counsel.

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Mr. L.R. Andrewes, is appear- "It is agreed that the plain- worst blackguards of the late Annul (U. & S.) ....... Talkoo da. tiff read over; on the air from war. The plaintiff claims that he Shunghai in 1942, the official "I am not concerned with Bolssevain (J.C.J.L.) ...... Talkoo dk. was brought to Hong Kong German news bulletin. There is that, I am not concerned at all Caltex 2 (Texas) ...... L.C.K.

Prejudice In the course of his opening, . "I touch on this matter of

"I believe that if Lamb has "It is admitted that there was | rot been charged with treason not be done in Hong Kong.

the phaintiff and to the fact that have no indication that the it had been contended that if British Government is proposconce of this travel certificate he Sir Henry Blackall: "Why with alarm. According to the. Mashate (S. China) ...... B.4

test, even if plaintiff had not Mr. Bernacchi: "In this case, had better confine yourself to Nagara (Glimso) ...... A.1 there is no indication that the legal aspects." 'i British authorities' have any

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fore Sir Henry B'ackall, Chief duced into this case by the de- ": understand that if he were | .... Justice, at the Supreme Court. fendant's advisers and which so tried, he has a sound de-The plaintiff is represented by circumstances I would touch on fence, but that is irrelevant to

"I am not concerned whether thin man is even one of the Alderonda (II. & B.) ..... Talkoo die

lice custody and kept in such Blackall drew the attention of ar case, that a man was brought Davken (P. & O.) -..... Talkoo dk. In Hong Kong until Feb. 21. Mr. Bernacchi to the fact that here to this Colony in arrest, Do Huu VII (Moss. Marl.) .. Talkoo dk. Lamb had started writing a that he was forcibly taken from Empire Dirk (Mollers) ..... B.C.

The plaintiff further claims book vilifying Mr. Winston a ship of war by the Police on Emp. Frazer (Jardine) ..... Kin. dk. Hong Kong soil, that he was Emp. Hilda (M.O.T.) ..... N. Pt. Quay After acknowledging this to interrogated on Hong Kong soil Emp. Tern (Williamson) ..... 1mt. be imprisoned in Stanley Prison be so, Mr. Bernacchi said: by the Hong Kong Police and Foo Halng (Wallem) .... Cosmo-ilk. 10, 1947, upon the charge of up with the first batch of Euro- in Stan'ey Prison for 19 days, Canandoe (Wallem) ...... Kin, Bay disembarking without the docu- peans by the Japanese in Shang- on a charge of having entered

position is hard to find at pre- Hinsang (Jardine)

fought for democracy. At the lbls (To Hing) ................. 11.5 end of this war in the World Jonquile (Trans-Ocean) ...... S.S. Potoday there are indeed very few Richella (A.P.C.) ...... Cob with democratic states. I view with Lady Wolmer (Wallem) ...... Ymt the very gravest alarm the en- Larkslock (Wallem) ...... 8.8. Pn

### Collaboration

Sir Henry Blackall: Your Maroia (Thoresen) ...... Taikoo dk. client does not seem to view it Marylock (Wallem) ...... 8.8. Fo would not have ordered the de- have you serious doubts that evidence, he col'aborated with tention of paintiff, Mr. Bernac- treason cannot be tried in the Germans, who did not view Mei Shan (Socony) ...... L.C.K. thi said that there was no England? I have no doubts on the likery of a subject with any Member (B. & S.) ...... Talkoo dk

of the case is—and I do not Taishan Peak ............... 8.8. Po supposedly based on an Ordin- Volsella (A.P.C.) ...... L.C.K. ance which could not possibly wing Sang (Jardine) ..... Cust. wht. even have considered the cir-wood Sang (Jardine) ..... Kin. wht. cumstances under which it was wuchang (B. & S.) ..... B.C. Inter to be used. Indeed, I submit that Your Lordship would be totally wrong in taking into consideration this matter of prejudice, which has been so strongly built up by the de-

"The simple facts were that the man was brought here in arrest and then he was detained on the ground that he had entered the Colony without the necessary travel document. There can be absolutely no justification for such an act as

"I do not intend to go very deeply into the Ordinance in question in my opening because if my learned friend is proposing to contend that this Ordinance could be used in such circumstances—if a man did have the necessary travel docu- Parcels will close at 5 p.m. on previous ment or was told why he was day. detained—then it is for him show the applicability of the Ordinance."

Acceptance -Resuming after a short con-

sultation with Mr. Lonsdale, Mr. Bernacchi said: "My Irlend accepts that state. ment, therefore there is no need

for me to go into the authorities on that point. "Briefly the only possible paragraph that I can see in the nesburg, Augusta, Marseilles and London.

Ordinance which; could be a Kowloon C.P.O., (Rev.) 2.20 p.m., (Ord.) foundation that this Immigra- 8.50 p.m. tion Control Ordinance was and Alemail for Singapore, Colombo, Soura-plicable is Section 12, which bays, Sydney and Auckland, (Reg.) says an entry permit cannot be p.m. (Ord.) 3.50 p.m. given by the Immigration Offia cor. in . certain .. olreumstances. | Alemail for Japan (Ordinary letters and Assuming: for the moment, that cards only), 8.50 p.m. the defendant was within these Hankow, Telegiao, and Pelping, (Reg.)

(Continued on Page 10)

## FATSHAN FINE

Canton, Aug. 14. The fine imposed on the s.s Fatshan for smuggling contraband into Conton three weeks ago by the Chinese Customs authorities here has so far not been pald a spokesmun of the Customs Office here said today.

China Mavigation Company, which the , s.s. Kalshan belong, thinks that the finb is too bigh. it should the an appeal to the Customs Office, under Section 31 has been made. The dead-life of the Anti-Smuggiling Regulations, for such an appeal is Aug. 17. within 15 days after the decision KPN.

Amaranthus (Wel Lock) ..... B.S. Po Canon Bar (Carroll) . . . . . Talkoo dk. "I am concerned only with Caroline Moller (Mollers) .... Kin. Bay Hal Tan (Douglas Co.) ..... Co.'s wht Hai Lee (Thoresen) ..... B.3 Hanyang (B. & B.) ..... A.14 Hawkabury (Wallem). ... China M. whi. "I submit such a ludicrous Heinrich Jessen (Jebsen) .... Kin. du.

Heln Kong So (Wallem) ..... Ymt. Hunan (B. & S.) ..... Cest, whf. "A war has recently been Hung Heln (China M.) ..... Co.'s whi. Kenilworth (Williamson) ..... Ymit. Luxmi (Dank Line) ...... Talkoo dk. | Macau (S. China) ...... S.S. Po\* Marine Flyer (A.P.L.) ...... Kin. whf.

great enthusiasm. I think you Menclaus (B. & S.) ...... Holt's Newchwang (II. & S.) ..... Talkoo dk. Mr. Bernacchi: One cannot Panamanian (Wallem) ...... 8.C. "There is a matter of pre- intention of trying him for say that in 1942 this man may Perlicek (Wallem) ...................... Ymt. or may not have done something Period (Wallem) ..... Cormo. dk. which a jury would find he had einerd (J.C.J.L.) ..... BC. committed against his King and Havners (Thoresen) ...... Klu. wh!. Country. When that man comes River Norman (B. & S.) ...... A.5 here in 1947 and there is no Shahrokh (Nemazeo) ...... Kin. whf. suggestion that he is to be put Shanni (B. & S.) ..... Talkoo dk. before a jury to hear that case, Sheng Li (Overworld Co.) ...... Ymt. in these circumstances one can. Swartenbondt (J.C.J.L.) ..... Kln. dk. Swartenbondt (J.C.J.L.) .... Talkoo dk. not speak of the essence of the Szechuen (B. & S.) ..... Talkoo dk. whole of this case. The essence Tai Chung Bhan (Shun Cheong) Talkoo dk.

13.8 Flying Cloud (Everett) . . . D.G.A. Macau (S. China) ..... S.S. Po.

14.4 Hunan (II. & S.) ..... Cust. whf. Silver Sandal (J.C.J.L.) . Kin. dk. Empire Dirk (Mollers) ..... 8.C. Marine Flyer (A.P.L.) .. Kin. whf. Lidvard (Dodwell) ..... A.2 Hal Lee (Thoresen) ..... B.3 Scythin (P. & O.) .... Kin. whf, Shantung ...... Halphong

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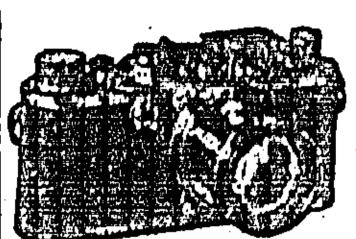
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## WEATHER BREEDS SCORING BUMPER

London, Aug. 13. Perfect weather produced another crop of big scores in County cricket championship games today and only Hampshire, with a total of 280, failed to reach 300.

Outstanding performance of the day was accomplished by the Lancashire XI, who ran up a

.two.--Reuler.

the Cup.

Davis Cup

Inter Zone

At Coventry: Worwickshire 443

At Clacton: Lancashire 510

Montreal, Aug. 13.

Australia and Czechoslovakia

will commence their Davis Cup

inter-zone final here timorrow,

with the winners qualifying to

challenge the United States for

The two singles tomorrow will

be Jack Bromwich (Australia)

against D. Cernik (Czechoslova-

The decision by the Australian

Brown, who won two singles when

SCOTTISH

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The following are the results of

football games in the Scottish

DIVISION A

DIVISION B

0 Albion

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Dumbartan

Queen of South 0 Partick

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A fartavell lawn bowls match

will be payed int the K.B.G.C. on

Aug. 23. between a team chosen

by Mr. F. H. Wilkinson, past pre-

sident of the club, and a rest of

Members wishing to participate

are asked to inform the bowls con-

vener as early as possible. The

teams will be selected on Tuesday,

Dunfermline 4

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l the **c**lub team.

London, Aug. 13.

O Hibernian

Celtic

Falkirk

Dundee

St. Micren

match.--Reuter.

lengues: -

Aberdeen

Airdrie

(Ord 125, Maudsley 52). Surrey

total of 510 against Essex. For a change, the Middlex, for five (Kenyon 102, Palmer 176 "Twins," Bill Edrich and Denis not out Jenkins 62 not out) Compton, were dismissed-both against Nottinghamshire. eigan Lowled--for small scores and Middlesex are baving the weist of the argument against no runs for no wickets. Rent.

Edrich's brother, George, how- (Place 171, G.A. Edrich 132, ever, came into the limelight Wharton 91 Cranston 68. when playing for Lancashire, Smith six for 152), Essex 11 for Place and Edrich put on no fewer Than 273 rons in two hours and 40 minutes for Limeashire's third

wicket. The day's top scorer was Palmer, of Worcestershire, whose 476 not cut was his best in county cricket and was Worcester dire's hest individual score of the season. Palmer was in two century stands and has, so far, batted for five hours (en minutes,

### Bright Scoring

Gloucestershire, leaders in the championship, scoring 60 for the loss of two wickets finished the first day 136 runs behind, but with eight wickets in hand against South Africa, whose first innings totalled 225. This was not a Ling. particularly impressive display by [ the toursts, who had all too rare non-playing captain. Mr. Roy For Cowling, to play the veteran, John periods of lively batting. the most part, they rather flat. Bromwich, occasioned some surtered the bowling and there were prise, as it meant that Geoff

some painfully slow periods. 160 was reached may have led to week, will be watching the present admitted that the Communists corefulness and some of the bauthtest hitting was seen late in the afternoon by Harris, whose 36 included six fours, and Fullerton, who played himself in carefully, but showed that he could hit while compiling 35 not out. Dyer, who opened the innings with Melville, was top-scorer

with 74. Glouesstershire two wickets down for 38, but the combination of two left-handers. Allen and Crapp, held out for the Morton remainder of the day's play.

## **Closing Scores**

Close of play scores were: South Africa 225 (Dyer 74). Ayr Gloucestershire 89. for -two | Dundee | U. (Allen 52 not out). At Scarborough: Derbyshire

309 (Townsend 137, Pdpc 90) Yorkshire four for no wickets, At Weston-super-Mare: Hampshire 200 (Regers 69, Hills 58 Hezelt six for 61). Somerset 61

tor no wickter. "At Lords: Kent 301 (Fagg 60, Valenting 61). Middlesex 133 for three (Robertson 73 not out). At Hastings: Sussex 382 for seven (Parks 111, James Lan-

gridge 105, Cox 91). At Swansen: Glamorgan 259 (Dyson 50, Jones 75, Clift 62, C.B. Clarke five for 123). Northamptonshire 42 for no wickets. At Dudley: Worcestershire 420 Aug. 19.

## Cricket What Will Wedemeyer Recommend For China?

Washington, Aug. 14.
The possibility that General Albert Wedeneyer may recommend further United States financial assistance for China was brought into the, spotlight today when Treasury Secretary John Snyder told a press conference that the National Advisory Council on International financial problems would handle any such recommendation.

Snyder, who heads the Advisory Council, emphasised, however, that he had "no information on any of Wedemeyer's possible recommendations." Pending receipt of Wedemeyer's report after completion of his Presidential mission, Snyder and other high government and military authorities were withholding public comment on the Chinese mituation and Wedemeyor's possible proposals.

Various government departments continued to study Chinese problems and possible solutions in which the United States might play a part. Any possible future American action regarding them seemed as yet wholly undetermined .- Associated Press.

# Siege

Nanking, Aug. 14. Government dispatches today said that the Communist siege of Yulin in northern Shensi was lifted at midnight on Aug. 12 by a relief column of Nationalist troops from Chingtien.

Red units had twice battered; their way within the city walls of Yulin, which is 100 miles kia) and Dinny Pails (Australia) north of Yenan, during a week. versus Invoslav Drobny (Czecho- long drive which threatened to set off a Communist campaign Bromwich will also play in Fri- to recover the former Red capiday's doubles, partnered by Colin | to1

> The reports said the Reds were retreating eastward toward the Shansi border.

Government dispatches claimed the Nationalist garrison at Yulin inflicted heavy casualties The loss of three men before the Australia eliminated Canada last on the attacking Red troops but damaged the airport and army tions as watchmen, \$160 from Chu Dockyards Ltd., a British coninstallations before the rescue Man and Chan Lai on July 30, cern. forces arrived.

Meanwhile, pro-government from Chu Song and San Yung on were confronted by a naval arm- phong Road Gendarmerie and dispatches said Nationalist the same date at the Ma Tau ed guard and subsequently taken was never at any time released suggested that the Chinese, auforces in central Shantung had Wai Road address, and \$130 from abourd a launch in the custody or let out of Camp. occupied Lintzu and cleared the Lal Hon and Chan Chi outside of that guard. No- Customs Reds from Shoukuan. Itu and 215 Yu Chau Street on Aug. 1. formalities were gone through. Linchu area. The operation appeared to be a proude to a to the same complainants and H.M.A.S., "Warramunga" which Shanghat. major effort to recover the rich places the date as between July I was lying off Woosung. While on ] Poshan coal mine district from 23 and Aug. 5. 2 the Communists. — Associated It was stated by DSI Mac- detained in a cabin, guarded by Shanghai Depot of the American

## 0 Press.

### 5 Third Lanark 2 Wool Over Their Eyes Arbroath

Sydney, Aug. 13. Anstralia will send three wool experts to Japan immediately to arrange for resumption of the regular wool trade, according to a Canberra despatch in today's Sydney Daily Telegraph.

Mr. Reginald Pollard, Mininter of Commerce and Agriculture, said that the Commonwealth Government would not allow Japanese buyers to, buy personally at Australian wool auctions, but they might appoint Australian agents to buy for them.—Reuter.

## LAMB LODGES APPEAL DAMAGES:

"Does it entitle him in any ber of Germans. under Section 14?

tant of the points not conceded Baron Von Puttkamer. He a Magistrate for remand. by the defence-namely, that was treated in very much the there was no power, even if same way as the plaintiff and asked to see someone from the Lamb had not got a travel docu- he was taken off in arrest. ment, on the facts of this case under the Immigration Control "The original statement of he asked permission to telephone Ordinance, insofar as the de- defence said that Lamb made a a solicitor. dendant admits unlawful deten- signed statement. dendant admits unlawful deten- signed statement.

tion as he admits, we are only concerned with the damages. It retracted. Lamb will say it to Mr. Hugh-Jones, who got in is not open to him to plend just was an interrogation and that touch with the Attorney-General

from Shanghai.

plaintiff denies.

"He will produce a letter) entry into China.

be that he was put abound the charge. ship by British officers, and as on board the "Warramunga." | vileges, such as they were, of released unconditionally. territorial waters on Feb. 20, smoke twice a day.

NAAFI at 97 Ma Tau Wal Road, loon. He was a public accountant us at few particulars."

Donald yesterday that Messrs. Lo naval guards. Lamb said he had Air Force in Kiangwan.

sien of a Mr. Broadley.

and Lo will be appearing for ac. no reason to believe that his per-! On or about Mar. 20, he was

about 4 p.m. on Feb. 20, 1947.

letty of the Special Branch Head.

He was asked by a Police

where a Police Officer remarked time.

launch came alongside.

where they disembarked.

they had been left in the posses been received.

under promises of obtaining posi- official, proceeded to the Shanghal was told.

| Hong Kong for trial and a num-, fact they had no books. "He will tell of how, two days way to detain the plaintiff "The Germans were not im- later, the two men who were

Statement -

gestion . that he was deported had no travel document, he ex- lease but . that coincided actualplained that he was taken from ly with the day of his release.

"Counsel for the defendant his flat ten months ago and all! "Some days before he had says he was expelled by the his documents were left in that found his identification certifi-Chinese authorities. This the flat and he did not know where cate in his baggage and it was they were now.

"He was kept in a normal identification certificate.

"He arrived in Hong Kong remand prisoners, including a was after 19 days in Stanley Pri

LAMB'S STORY OF TROUBLE

5, 1942 until Aug. 14, 1945.

board this ship, they were kept Civilian Press Relations Office, his being in Hong Kong.

he had brought. Lamb said that arrest to Bridge House. Here, he Donovan told them

British Authorities.

On Apr. 23, he was arrested by

When he arrived at this place, fresher.

Yu, a watchman employed by Y.M.C.A. Salisbury Road, Kow. with you. You will have to give money or valuables and that in

of obtaining money by, false. He was taken from Ward Road terrogated as to his profession and money after having spent ten

He is alleged to have obtained, subordinate British Consular who made a resume of what he He claimed that he was also

\$80 from Chan Wai, and \$160) At this place, he and others! He was detained at the Hai- wanted to go back to Shanghai.

The charge of conspiracy refers. They were taken aboard the Americans and returned to would be prohibited from

sonal baggage accompanied him, advised by his Commanding

his personal effects by the British from the service as a report, de-

Consular official and informed that | trimental to him (Lamb) | had

On the voyage, he had no access the Shanghai Garrison Detach-

to any baggage except that which ment at Woosung and taken under

they arrived in Hong Kong at was detained for three days in-

were transferred to this launch they said that they did not know

and taken immediately to the what to do with him. He was

He replied that he could not parary certificate while

over the bedding roll, he found Oct. 1945, he changed that cer,

At about 6 p.m. the Police the Ward Road Gaol,

He had been handed a list of Officer, that he was being released

pretences and one of conspiracy. Gaol and, accompanied by a activities by Inspector Kriloff, months in a Chinese gaol.

Lumb, who was then called, said; to him as follows: "Well, I don't, He was asked, by Inspector

He then sat down and was in- possible for him to have any

He was in Shanghai from Nov. where would you want to go?'

which place he was released by no reason to believe that

informed that as regards food. Jillot who said to them: "I am

prisoned: they were free. One, brought down with him were "But by far the most impor- however, was imprisoned— taken out to be brought before

"On the following Monday he Attorney-General's Office. On Friday, no one having arrived,

"That was refused and he is not open to him to plend just was an interrogation and tification in a case where he adding the land took and Lamb was offered, even-tification in a case where he adding took and Lamb was offered, even-tification in a case where he adding took and Lamb was offered, even-tification in a case where he adding took and Lamb was offered. notes of what he said.

"There has been some sugstion that he was deported had no travel document, he explanate that the lease but that coloridate that he was deported and no travel document, he explanate that the lease but that coloridate the lease but the lease but that coloridate the lease but the lease b

sent by the Prison authorities "He was then taken to Stan-1 to the Immigration Officer. showing he is permitted free re- ley Prison. He was imprisoned; When the Immigration Officer ed at 500,000 guilders there with Baron Von Putt- came to see him, he refused a "The plaintiff's evidence will kamer, who was on a similar conditional release and asked whether the Officer had his

is admitted, he was imprisoned prisoner's cell and given pri- "In the afternoon, he was KLM (Dutch Civil Airson. Those are the facts, My 1947. With him were two other "I believe the privilege in Lord, and I now call Lamb to men who were being brought to cludes access to books, but in give evidence."

reply, he said that it was not

asked: "If you were released now

He replied that he naturally

thorities would not allow

entering that port, since

After being interrogated,

and taken to Special Branch

thought it would be better if they

was cleaner and the air was

After their arryial at Stanley,

they saw the Chief Officer. Mr.

Headquarters, together

Baron Von Puttkamer.

in Shanghoi. 🔧

Lumb said that it was also

Henfield, Sussex, Aug. 18.
In a will published today, Miss Margaret May Knowled of Henfield Place here loft £10,000 on trust to her nephew, Kenneth Knowled, an Oxford professor, "so long only as he shall not have adopted or shall not hereafter adopt Communistic prin-

Putting Him

In The Red

ciples." She left the residue of her \$250,000 entate to Knowled's children also with the provine that they are not brought up "on Communistic lines."-Router.

The Hague, Aug. 14. Uncut diamonds valu-

(more than £50,000) vanished without trace from la soaled mail bag in a lines) aircraft between Amsterdam and Karachi. The gems, which came from Prague, were put safely aboard the plane at Amsterdam in a

and that the jewels had been rethat he was residing at the know what we are going to do Kriloff whether he had any moved. The Amsterdam criminal in- 😕 vestigation department started

scaled doub'e bag: On arrival

at Karachi it was discovered

that the inside bag was torn

Clever alr pirates are suspected to have been responsible and the police are seeking international cooperation.—Reuter:

inquiries immediately.

LAMB CASE .When he came out of Stanlay He was taken to Peiping, at entry into Shanghai, but he had the ship by which he came was still in the harbour and was there for some time after.

On Mar. 14 he asked the Governor for passage back to Shanghai He subsequently worked at the Chinese were not responsible for and a lean of \$1,000. He had told He had both friends and money Shanghai in getting back.

Inspector Kriloff that he had no. trouble with the Chinose in He went to the Ministry for was taken to the Central Remand | Foreign Affairs for China and had a visa on his identity certificate

The next day, he was called out within 15 minutes. This cost him 812. On Mar. 21. Mr. Loseby informed him that the Attorney-General had written stating that in the opinion of the Immigration officer the visa was in order. Crass-examined by Mr. Lons-

communicado and then taken to were taken to Stanley, where it was doing journalistic work. A question by Mr. Lonsdale whether he had been paid by the Germans in 1942 for journalistic work was objected to by Mr. Bernacchi, who said that the question appeared to be leading to an examination of the plaintiff's

Germans in 1942 for journalistic

It was only for one article. The

article did not concern Mr. Chur-

chill but was on Finland, and at a

time when everybody was for gal-

In 1945 he joined the Public

Rolations Office for the Americans.

He did not write articles. He only

did the make-up and lay-out and

saw the paper through the press.

His capacity was to head and

correct copy contributed as many

changed later.

Finland. Circumstances

dale. Lamb said that in-1042 he

Court, he said. The objection was overruled. In answer to the question Lamb turned, he brought with him a admitted that he was paid by the On his return to Shanghai in document.

Lamb said that he and Von tificate at the British Consulate Puttkamer were then informed They were then taken to the for an identity certificate, as no that they were being held under typhoon while on her way from Special Branch Headquarters, passports were available at the some section of the Immigration | Control Ordinance.

### this would be a matter for the very sorry, gentlemen, but we can't have you in this hotel." Mr. activities in 1042. He had a passport originally, Jillot then went away and a Mr. This was irrelayent to the pre-Officer if a bodding roll and kit but this was destroyed by the Norman took over. ent issue of the case before the This officer also went out for In a short while and when he re-

### PRISONERS "COULD Mr. Norman said that they promptly took it to the Chief Arrangements were then made would be treated as special re- Officer of the Prison, who arrang- by Inspector Donovan for him to

Japanese in 1942. He had a tem.

they would be allowed to smoke authorities. twice a day and not have to do l any work. Lamb said that on being thus informed, he said to if suits me for the present." He had access to his bedding

tificate in a file. On Mar. 1, Inspector Donovan The following will represent came to see him and expressed.

K.B.G.C. against Club de Recrelo the hope that everything was in the Semi-Final of the Knock- going well. Inspector Donovan E.F. Pope, L. Guy, J.W. Dickson Dassage to the United Kingdom. Jones said that the writ or someone from the Attorney- from Hong Kong firms. Lamb said that he then asked Habeas Cornus must succeed. R.P. Phillips, I. Newton, J.C. presento the United Kingdom. | torney-General.

> go back to Shanghal. again been offered a passage to Government expense."

Lank an of Royal County Down did not know what was happening from Stanley and drop him on the first saw Mr. Monkhouse on Printed and published for the previous holder. Rettlah to his affairs at that place and from Stanley and drop him on the first saw Mr. Monkhouse on Printed and published for the

The previous holder. British wanted to go back to see for him first corner in Hong Kong. open champion Fred Daly, did gelf. not defend the title.-Associat Lamb said that after locating was taken to the Special Branch

mand prisoners, which meant that ed to have it sent to the proper be accommodated at the Y.M.C.A., 'On the morning of Mar. 10, he taken at Jimmy's Kitchen. had a visit from the Immigration

Officer, Mr. Monkhouse. When Mr. Monkhouse said that he had come to take him (Lamb) out of Stanley, he informed Mr. Monkhouse that he had already roll and kit bag on three occasions been in touch with his Solicitors before locating his identity cer- and wanted to know where he stood.

## Letter

Mar. 6. from Messra/Wilkinson & had been given a "dirty deal." Grist was received and Lamb said . Lamb said that on Feb. 24,

together; you will be leaving this Joe McCarney, part-time pro- the United Kingdom, but had also Lamb said the last romark, "at ed no word from the Attorneywon the Ulater Progolf title on Ho was domiciled in Shanghai, ently prompted by the fact that permission to telephone his law-Wednesday, beating Jack Mc that his job was in Shanghal and he (Lamb) had earlier on said yers, but was told that it was

> Lairly said that from Branley to with him from Stanley. This is Identity Cortificate, ho ! floadquarters by Inspector Lowo ! [Continued at fool of next Col.) | Mong. Kong.

Kowloon and for his meals to be

Lamb said that they, had been courteous and given but their newers were , somewhat limited. Lamb declared that the At that moment, a letter dated were under the impression that he

l Mar. 10, when he was told to come

.Lamb said that he had no com plaints with regard to the Hong Kong authorities or the treatment which he had received at the hands of the officials.

every facility within their power.

page and stated that he wanted to him and said; "Get your things the proper authorities."

Intendent, who said he had receiv- prison for 19 days.

of the writers were G.I.'s. He did . journalistic work for the Ameri-In answer to further auestions, Lamb admitted he had no degrees. He was not a chartered accounlant nor an incorporated accountant. He had made the mistake of joining up in the last war and did not sit for his examination. He had had three offers of omplayment as soon as he got

through this business. Ho had not taken the offers up as he wanted also said that he was making that he showed this to Mr. Monk- asked to see the Superintendent of to know he stood and this arrangements for his (Lumb's), house, in this letter, Mr. Hugh Prisons in order to ascertain if case Inished. All the offers were General's Office was coming out to Witness at first refused to give H.F. Shields, J.F. McGowan, Inspector Donovan who had told Mr. Monkhouse, after seeing the see them, since they were being the names of the firms but later him that he Lamb, wanted a letter, said he would see the At- detained under the Attorney- said that they were the Chinese General's order. The Superintens Export Corporation, Tin Wah and Ho declined to accept the pas- Subsequently, Mr. Illiot came to dent promised to get in touch with Co, and E. D. Sykes and Co., Ltd. 'Asked in what way he had suf-. Lamb said that after three days; fered damages in Hong Kong. Lamb said that he had recently | hotel and going to anothe one at he again wont before the Super- Lamb said that he had been in

. Olo belloved the law wenthet he should have been brought before a magistrate within 48 hours. Hearing will be continued this

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## Man, Woman Murdered Persons Unknown

A verdict of "Murder by some person or persons unknown" was returned by the Coroner at the conclusion of two inquiries held by Mr. W. H. Latimer at Kowloon yesterday.

The first inquest was on an un-1 the water three or four days be- | When he left her on the ofterknown Chinese male, aged be: fore he conducted his post- noon of May 17 she was in pertween 30 and 35, whose decoin- mortem examination on June 23. feet health, said witness. At Minister, today said that he is Mr. Norman: "If that suits you, posed body was found floating be- Detective So Kwong describe I about B a.m. on the following tween A12 and B22 buoys by S/I the deceased as being dressed in morning, one of his farm hands J.W.M. Dickson at 8 a.m. on June a dirty white checked cloth came out to tell him that she According to the Police, repre- European-style grey, finnel trou- the farm. He went out to Tsun sented by Detective Sub-Inspector | sers and a pair of blue canvas | Wan and reported the matter to C.J. Askew, the man had the shoes. Extensive inquiries made the Police Station there.

cles found on the decensed were two Chinese National currency \$10 and \$5 notes (equivalent to about six cents, Hong Kong). Hands Tied

by a piece of rope which was Inspector C. Bosyman.

added that the body hid been in 6the farm.

of the ricek.

quilted jacket with a pair of old was lying dead in the cockloft of appearance of a boatman whose by him among the usual seamen's body was, in all probably, washed haunts in Kowloon and Hong into Hong Kong waters from Kong, said witness falled to re-Chinese territory. The only arti- veal the identity of the deceased, piece of rope found around her 17:-

## Woman's Death

paim-to-palm in front of the body, of May 18, said Detective Sub-

Dr. Alvares gave as his opinion. Up to March this year she was no gag in the mouth or any obthat death was due to asphyxia living with him and his kit-int atruction in the airpassage, and brought about by drowning, and wife at 24% Castle Peak Road, Dr. Alvares, who added that, in that the outward appearances first floor, but since that time she his opinion, death was due to were consistent with hamicide. Ho stored in an unnumbered but on asphyxia brought about by

neck was part of the clothes line which she had on the first floor. Chow Chung-hei, 24-year-old The cubicle her body was found concubine of Wong Chau, was in had the appearance of being J.G. Mever and A.J. Hall. found dend with a piece of rope ransacked and a search revealed The hands were tled together round her neck in the carly hours the loss of three gold finger rings. Altken and J. McKelvic. Dr. Alvares stated that an autopsy conducted on the deceased passed tightly, round the wrists According to the husband, de- revealed slight bruises on the lext four times, testined Dr. R.E. censed was a very quiet sort of a life of the forehead and on both Alvares, There was a superficial sixi and made no complaints cibows. There were faint brulses wound four inches long with about the villagers or the form on the upper part of the cheat, fessional of Cliftonylie, Belfast, declined it. clean-cut skin edges on the right hands employed by him at the There was no evidence of preg-Kwal Chung Village farm. hancy or discuse. He could find

the world ports via Manila. The a.s. General Gordon will arrive here this morning from San Francisco, Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai, and will sail 6 n.m. on Aug. 16 for Manila. This vessel is expected to return here on Aug. 20, and will sail on Aug. 21 for San Francisco, via Shang-Kobe, Yokehama, and quarters in Connaught Road. Honolulu.

eused at the next hearing.

SHIPPING

arrived here yesterday, is expect-

ed to sail on Aug. 16 for round-

The g.s. Marine Flier, which

Kemanded

Donald, Yu For was remanded for

another week in gaol custody

when he appeared before Mr. W.

is being charged on four country by profession.

A., Blair-Kerr yesterday.

On the application of DSI Mac-

## SEAMAN HURT

bag belonged to him. Chu Po-shum, 42, a seaman say so offhand, but would have Haiphong Road Camp in 1944. "Esang," was adof the s.s. to Kowloon Hospital mitted to take a look first. On turning i fractured yesterday with . He was injured on August 12 his name painted on it.

### Salgon to Hong Kong. APPLES FOR, BRITAIN

Auckland, N.Z., Aug. 14. New Zealand is to open negotiations immediately with the British Government for the export of 1,000,000 cases of apples to Britain during the coming season. Walter Nash Dominion Finance making this move at the request of the New Zealand Fruit Growers Federation .- Associated Press.

## BOWLS

Witness went on to say that the out Competition on Sunday, Aug.

and S. Randle.